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1894	Uncirculated 30.00	1914-D	Uncirculated 30.00
1894-O	Fine 27.50	1914-S	Uncirculated 30.00
1895	Uncirculated 30.00	1915	Uncirculated 30.00
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ALUMINUM COINS

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Aluminum is one of the most plentiful of all the ninety-odd elements. Composing one-thirteenth of the weight of the earth's crust, it is more plentiful than any other substance excepting only oxygen and silicon. The most plentiful element, oxygen, was discovered in 1774; the second, silicon, was discovered in 1823. Aluminum was discovered in 1827 by a chemist named Wohler by the process of displacing it by potassium in its molten chloride. Its discovery was the fifty-second of the ninety elements discovered prior to the war. Up to recently it was known that there were ninety-two elements, but those known as numbers 85 and 87 have not been discovered. Research on the atomic bomb led to the discovery of several new ones, all numbered over 92.

It might seem strange to us that something we take so much for granted today was absolutely unknown less than 120 years ago. It might also seem odd that such a plentiful substance should remain undiscovered for so many centuries. There are good reasons, however, for its delayed discovery. The first is that aluminum, or aluminium, as it is called outside the United States, is never found in its free state or in metallic form because of its great chemical activity. The second is that electricity has been used for only about a century and a half in the isolation of chemical elements. The dynamo as the generator of electricity is an even more recent devlopmnt. The third is that in its electrolysis it is necessary to heat the aluminum ore to about 1750° Fahrenheit before it can be decomposed into aluminum and oxygen.

Apparently little change in the method of production of aluminum took place during the twenty-five years following its discovery in 1827. Then a cheaper process was evolved by F. Rose, who used a double fluoride called cryolite. Subsequently H. St. Clair Deville substituted the less expensive sodium for potassium. The evolution of the dynamo caused a further change in the production of aluminum. Robert Bunsen in 1854 was the first to use electricity successfully in the isolation of

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aluminum. His method was developed thirty years later into the process used today. During the eighteen eighties a Frenchman named Paul Heroult and an American named Charles Hall, each working independently, evolved an identical process which in its essentials is unchanged today. Aluminum oxide is dissolved in molten cryolite at a temperature of 1750° Fahrenheit. Electric currents of from 8,000 to 20,000 amperes at 5½ to 6½ volts are passed from carbon anodes into this molten bath which is contained in a furnace having a thick carbon lining. The electrical action produces oxygen and melted aluminum, the latter sinking to the bottom of the molten bath from which it is tapped at intervals. About ten kilowatt hours of electricity are required to produce a single pound of aluminum. For this reason cheap sources of electricity are needed to obtain low priced aluminum.

In 1856 aluminum was worth $40 a pound, or twice as much as silver was worth at the same time. By 1860 it fell to $12 a pound, in 1894 it was worth fifty cents a pound, and today it is down to fifteen cents a pound. When the Washington Monument was finished in 1885, aluminum was so unusual a metal that a one-hundred ounce pyramid of it was used to complete the monument.

Aluminum is a soft metal, being only half as hard as copper and zinc. It is very light, having a specific gravity of 2.70, that is, it weighs 2.70 times as much as the same quantity of water. Copper and nickel are 3.25 times as heavy as aluminum whereas silver is 4.28 times as heavy. It is very malleable, this being of great advantage in its use for coins, tokens and medals. It oxidizes immediately in air but the oxide formed at ordinary temperatures is only 1/100,000 of an inch in thickness, and this thin coat is a protection against further oxidation. It is so thin as to be invisible to the eye.

Its malleability, light weight and resistance to tarnish and corrosion are advantages of the use of aluminium in numismatics. Its softness and lack of resistance to wear are serious disadvantages and are perhaps the reason for its failure to be used generally for coinage in almost pure state. Where the article is not to be used as a medium of exchange intended to last for several years, aluminum possesses certain advantages over other metals. Aluminum is thus well suited for the striking of medals.

Inasmuch as aluminum as an isolated metal has a history extending back only a hundred and twenty years, numismatic items made of it must be relatively recent in date. The first record, though dubious, of an aluminum coin of the United States is a cent dated 1851, catalogued as No. 147 in the Adams-Woodin book on patterns. The second recorded piece is a half dollar dated 1857, catalogued as No. 221 and stated to be of silver, but with a large percentage of aluminum. After these two recorded coins, the next experiments that resulted in aluminum coins being struck were conducted in 1863, when a complete series of the coins from the dollar down to the cent were issued as experimental pieces. The dollar, half dollar and quarter dollar differed from regularly issued coins in that they bore the motto IN GOD WE TRUST, adopted on coins struck for general circulation in 1866. The dime, half dime, three cent piece and cent are the same as the regular issue except for the metal.

In addition to these seven coins are patterns for three dimes, two three cent coins of the type of the large cent, and four two cent pieces. Between 1863 and 1885 trial or pattern coins were struck in aluminum in every year except 1877. After 1885 only two aluminum pieces are recorded, an Indian head cent dated 1890 and a five cent piece dated 1896, of which an illustration is shown, No. 34. The foregoing information was obtained from the listing of United States Pattern, Trial and Experimental Pieces by Edgar H. Adams and William H. Woodin. In its collection Princeton University has an unlisted half dollar dated 1855 and struck in aluminum. Its date does not necessarily prove that it was struck in that year; it might have been struck several years later.

Experimental use of aluminum was also taking place in other countries. An ingot of the metal shown at the exhibition of 1855 so excited the curiosity of the Parisians that its adaptability for coinage was the subject of an editorial in "La Presse" on May 10, 1856, reading as follows:

> "It has been said that aluminium may some day replace gold and silver in our coins. Aluminium can never be destined to such use. In fact, that which contributes to gold and silver the special characteristics of precious metals, that which has determined their choice for this purpose, is the facility with which they can be withdrawn from their alloys and re-converted into pure metal. By very simple chemical operations, gold and silver are extracted in the pure state from any combination in which they may occur. Aluminium is unfortunately without this property; it cannot be separated in the metallic state from its divers compounds. In place of aluminium, the attempt yields only alumina, the common base, without any particular value. Such a circumstance prevents the use of aluminium along with silver and gold in our coins. Further, a metal of such common occurrence, forming a large part of the clay which we literally tread under our feet, and whose value may vary from all sorts of circumstances, can in no case be accepted as the representative sign of wealth."

The conclusion of this editorial was prophetic. It must be remembered that at the time it was written aluminum was a valuable metal which cost forty dollars a pound or more than twice as much as silver. Advances in the process of extracting the metal from the clay under our feet have changed it from a valuable substance to the inexpensive material put to so many uses today. No, it will never replace gold and silver as a basis of money. But nothing is said to the effect that aluminum would never be used for coins. In fact, M. Hery Montucci, a member of the French Academy of Sciences, saw in the editorial a way of preventing the melting of silver coins to obtain the higher value of the bullion. He recommended an alloy of nine parts of silver to one of aluminum in an article published by him in Paris in 1856 under the pen name of H. M. Ward. His theory was that such an alloy when melted would yield less than the face value of the coins melted, thus discouraging the practice. However, his idea was never put into practice. He had several other thoughts, one of which included the use of aluminum for minor coins in the event of the reduction in cost of the metal. It is said that in 1865 a set of coins of the lower denominations were made and brought to Louis Napoleon's attention. Interest was created and more extensive tests were made at the mint, but these were suddenly terminated by the Franco-Prussian War.

Before Belgium adopted its nickel coins in 1860, careful consideration was given to the propriety of the use of aluminum. It appears that its use was rejected because the production of aluminum was inadequate to supply a national coinage. Apparently its use would also have demanded the erection of an aluminum plant which in itself was enough to discourage the venture.

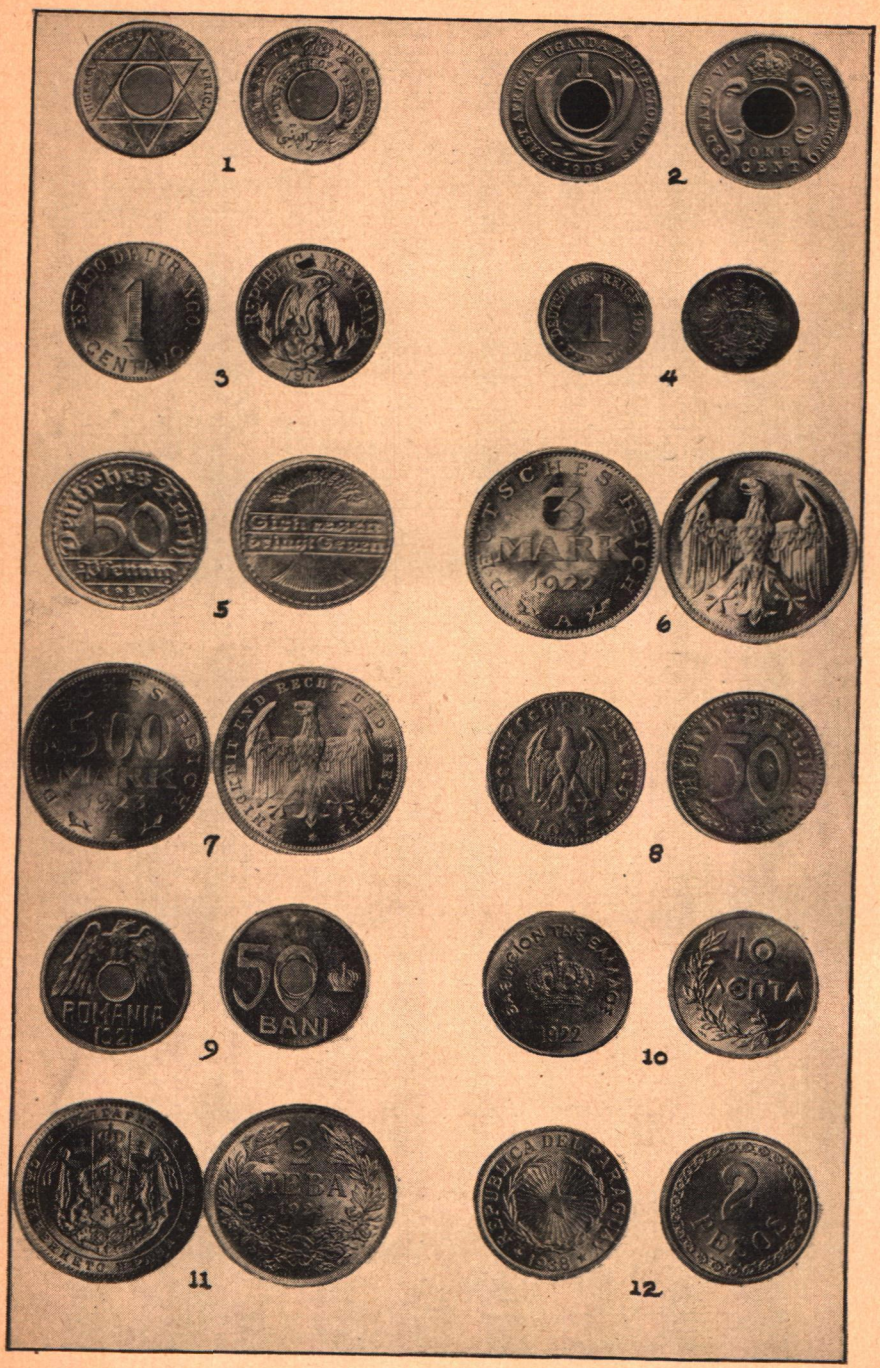
The Royal Mint of London also made a number of tests with aluminum and its alloys. One that is rather interesting was in connection with gold alloys made in 1891. The colors, contrary to what might be expected, ranged from yellowish green to purple, according to the percentage of aluminum. The melting points were also unexpected. Ten per cent of aluminum with ninety per cent of gold has a melting point lower than that of aluminum, which itself has the lower melting point of the two metals. An alloy of twenty-two per cent of aluminum with seventy-eight per cent of gold has a melting point several degrees higher than that of gold.

The British also conducted in 1883 a series of tests of the wearing qualities of coins. Fifty coins of the specified metal were placed into a tumbling barrel and weighed after six hours and again after another seven hours. The aluminum coins alloyed with two per cent nickel showed the least wear from the standpoint of weight, but the greatest from the standpoint of the percentage of the coin. Other metals tested were gold, silver, bronze and pure nickel.

In 1894 our dear friend, D. C. Wismer, no doubt impelled by the appearance of numerous aluminum medals and pattern coins, wrote a short paper for the fourth convention of the American Numismatic Association held in Detroit on August 23, 1894. This article was published in the November 1894 issue of THE NUMISMATIST and was entitled "Aluminum for Minor Coins." Mr. Wismer gave a brief history of aluminum and told of its properties. He said, "A metal with so many advantages should be used for all coins made of copper, bronze or metal. It is not so much the value of the material or metal used in minor coins as the adaptability and convenience." He thought that the appearance of a new coinage metal would increase the number of collectors as well as providing a better circulating medium.

The first aluminum coin of regular issue was the tenth penny of 1907 struck for Nigeria and British West Africa in accordance with an order of the council approved June 30, 1906. 1,254,401 pieces were struck in 1907 and 8,362,668 in 1908. A cent and a half cent were next struck for Uganda and British East Africa by order of council approved July 28, 1906. In 1907 the number of cents struck was 6,948,198; in 1908 the coinage was 2,871,400 cents and 900,000 half cents. When these coins were struck the deputy master of the mint, Ellison Mc Cartney, said, "So far as I know, these are the only aluminum coins in the world." This would seem to prove that they were the first regularly issued coins in that metal. They were found to be unsuitable for such tropical climates and nickel bronze coins of similar size but greater weight were substituted later in 1908.

After the East and West African coins the next aluminum coin issued by a government was the one centavo piece struck by a Denver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concern for the State of Durango, Mexico, in 1914. Copper shortage caused by the first World War was responsible for the appearance of the fifth aluminum coin, a one pfennig piece of Germany dated 1916. This was the only aluminum coin coming out of that conflict but its aftermath brought a number of others, mostly from the German Republic. First came the fifty pfennig piece in 1919. Then in swift succession came the two three mark coins of 1922, one of which celebrated the Weimar Constitution, then the early inflationary 200 and 500 mark pieces of 1923. In 1921 Roumania issued 25 and 50 bani pieces. In 1922 Greece issued its 10 lepta coin. In 1923 Bulgaria struck one and two leva pieces. Aside from the issues by states, such as the Hamburg, the Schleswig-Holstein and Westphalia coins, there were no other pure aluminum coins struck by any government between 1923 and 1935. For some unknown reason Germany then struck another fifty pfennig aluminum coin dated 1935. This is right in the midst of a series of pure nickel coins and no change was made in design until after 1937, the pure nickel coins having been issued both in 1935, 1936, and 1937, the new design in pure nickel appearing in 1938; this was not at all similar to the 1935 aluminum coin. The next aluminum coins to be issued prior to World War II were the series of Paraguay of the denominations of fifty centavos, one peso and two pesos and dated 1938. Japan also had a change to aluminum in 1938, but since she was actively engaged in the first part of World War II, it will be mentioned again later.

To assist in checking we are listing the above mentioned coins in schedule form giving the first date of issue and the number assigned to it in *Coins of the World* by Wayte Raymond. The number preceding the name is that in the illustration. The listing does not include the Hamburg, No. 31 and 32, the Schleswig-Holstein, No. 29, or the Westphalia issues, No. 30, nor does it show the Ethiopian merchants' token listed as No. 18 in *Coins of the World.*

1	Nigeria and British West Africa	1/10 Penny	1907	CW3
2	East Africa and Uganda	1 cent	1907	CW7
2	East Africa and Uganda	½ cent	1908	CW8
3	Mexico, State of Durango	1 centavo	1914	CW78
4	Germany (Empire)	1 pfennig	1916	CW12
5	Germany (Republic)	50 pfennigs	1919	CW52
6	Germany (Republic)	3 marks	1922	CW50
6	Germany (Republic)	3 marks	1922	CW51
7	Germany (Republic)	200 marks	1923	CW49
7	Germany (Republic)	500 marks	1923	CW48
8	Germany (Republic)	50 pfennigs	1935	CW52a
9	Roumania	25 bani	1921	CW28
9	Roumania	50 bani	1921	CW27
10	Greece	10 lepta	1922	CW7
11	Bulgaria	1 leva	1923	CW27
11	Bulgaria	2 leva	1923	CW26
12	Paraguay	50 centavos	1938	CW14
12	Paraguay	1 peso	1938	CW13
12	Paraguay	2 pesos	1938	CW12

These were the only aluminum coins issued up to World War II. The extreme shortages of metals forced many countries during the war years to find more available substitutes. Aluminum was one of these and the following coins, possibly supplemented by others not yet known to us, were issued:

13
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5 ORE
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2 FRANCS
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5 FRANCS
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2 FRANCS
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1 PENGO
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2 PENGO
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MAGYAR KIRALYSAG
5 PENGO
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23
24
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13	China	1 fen	1940	CW25b
13	China	5 fen	1940	CW25a
14	Denmark	2 ore	1941	—
14	Denmark	5 ore	1941	—
15	France (Republic)	50 centimes	1941	—
15	France (Republic)	1 franc	1941	—
15	France (Republic)	2 francs	1941	—
16	France (Republic)	5 francs	1945	—
17	France (State)	50 centimes	1942	—
17	France (State)	1 franc	1941	—
17	France (State)	2 francs	1942	—
18	Germany	50 pfennigs	1939	CW52b
19	Hungary	1 pengo	1941	—
20	Hungary	2 pengo	1941	—
21	Hungary	5 pengo	1943	—
22	Japan	1 sen	1938	CW38
23	Japan	1 sen	1941	CW39
24	Japan	5 sen	1940	CW37
25	Japan	10 sen	1940	CW36

26	Monaco	1 franc	Undated	—
27	Slovakia	20 halierov	1942	—
28	Spain	5 centimos	1940	CW19
28	Spain	10 centimos	1940	CW18

There are slight differences between the two pieces shown as number 6 in the illustrations; CW 51 bears the date August 11, 1942, that illustrated lacks this date. Furthermore, the one fen piece shown as number 13 lacks the ornamental border on both sides.

An ironic and short-sighted policy on coinage seems to have been adopted by the Ivigut Mining and Trading Company when in 1922 it struck coins of several denominations in a nickel alloy, instead of in aluminum. This company undoubtedly owes its existence to the use of its product, cryolite, in the manufacture of aluminum and it is difficult to understand why it should accept coins made of anything but aluminum. This coin is illustrated as No. 33.

The coins in this article are those that contain 95% or more of aluminum. There is a very large field in numismatics for the various alloys of aluminum and for this reason it is not being taken up in this article. A study of these alloys, and especially aluminum bronze coins, would prove beyond the scope of an article as brief as this one. No doubt many intriguing facets of metallurgy would also arise. Another interesting speculation on the subject of aluminum which this article will not cover is that on the sintering process as applied to aluminum powders mixed with other materials which will overcome the disadvantage of softness and poor wearing qualities. Few products are being made by powder metallurgy at this time but who knows when really light coins having good appearance and wearing qualities will be made by this new method.

A. N. A. SUMMER SCHOLARSHIP

Among the important resolutions passed by the Executive Board last summer was one establishing a scholarship in numismatics. (See page 1091, October, 1945).

Applications will be received from candidates for the 1946 A. N. A. scholarship of $300. The selected scholar will be enrolled for three months of study, tuition free, preferably in some phase of North or South American numismatics, at the Museum of the American Numismatic Society in New York City. To receive proper consideration, applications must be received before May 1st, 1946 and should include the following information:

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Numismatic achievements and interests.
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Names and addresses of three references.
Statement of willingness to qualify for surety bond.
Statement of what the applicant would hope to accomplish as the 1946 A. N. A. scholar.
Months during which candidate would be available, if successful.

The selection of the successful candidate will be made by the American Numismatic Society. All applications should be forwarded to their Secretary, Mr. Sydney P. Noe, 156th St. and Broadway, New York, N. Y.

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JUNGLE MINTS

A TRIP TO THE MONEY MAKING VILLAGES OF MALAITA

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While my ship, The USS Tutuila, was lying in Purvis Bay in the Florida Group of the British Solomon Islands I had the opportunity of visiting the Island of Malaita, center of shell bead money manufacture.

At 0430 on Sunday morning, December 17, 1944 we left the ship in a small Higgins boat and wound our way slowly through the narrow, crooked channel which seperates the Islands of Big Florida and Little Florida.

By the time we had reached Sciota, a small naval gunnery school lying on the northern side of Little Florida at the mouth of the channel, the light was sufficiently good for us to proceed through the passage in the coral reefs and on out into Indispensable Strait which separates the British Solomon Islands into two chains.

Across the strait, some thirty miles distant, the mountains of Malaita lay piled up on the horizon in a rugged, hazy mass. Clouds hung about the highest peaks increasing the eerie appearance of the island. We could well imagine the terror which seamen must have felt upon seeing this place in the days, not so long past, when the people of the island still had an appetite for human flesh.

Almost directly to the south, at a distance of about forty miles, we could see the faint outline of the Kavo Range on southeastern Guadalcanal.

Our passage was a rough one. Our little craft pitched and rolled violently without respite and, realizing that the best defense against *mal de mer* is a full stomach, we fortified ourselves with liberal doses of cold beer and thick ham sandwiches. Three hours of struggle brought us within sight of our objective, Bina Mission, which lies on the western coast of Malaita almost exactly on the line of nine degrees south latitude. We located the channel and ran in behind an island which forms the lagoon on which the mission is located.

The mission buildings were scattered about in a grove of coconut palms which lay behind a beach of dark brown sand. We recognized the little white chapel and the palm thatched houses which were the living quarters of the mission personnel. As we drew nearer we could see several natives on the beach watching us intently and among them a white man in khaki. We turned toward the beach to get within signalling distance and by signs indicated our desire to land. With a wave of his arm, the man in khaki directed us to round a small point which lay ahead and beach our boat there. Just around the point lay a stretch of dark brown sand on which a small schooner was beached. We gunned the engine and drove the bow of our boat into the sand.

We were met by a missionary, the man in khaki, whom we later found to be a visitor from the southern part of the island. We were escorted by him through the mission grounds.

A crowd of young natives, wards of the mission, followed us up the

Photograph by Comdr. A. R. Ridgely, USNR

Figure 1

View of the grounds of Bina Mission. The thatched houses are used as utility buildings and as living quarters for the mission personnel. This ox cart represents the land transportation facilities of the mission. Communication with other settlements is by water.

path which formed the "main street" of the settlement. All around us lay small thatched houses, the quarters of the natives and utility buildings of the mission (Figure 1). An air of peace lay over the place broken occasionally by the raucous cries of gaudy parakeets which fluttered about the tops of the coconut palms. The sun filtered through the lace-like palm leaves imparting a soft light to the grove and touching the brilliant green grass here and there with patches of gold. We had indeed entered another world.

Morning services in the chapel had been concluded before our arrival and most of the congregation had returned to their villages up the lagoon. Father "Dan", the missionary in charge, we found ill from an attack of malaria. We introduced ourselves and were in turn presented to the Bishop of the British Solomon Islands who was temporarily making his headquarters here since his establishment on Guadalcanal had been destroyed by the Japanese. After the formalities of the introductions were over we presented Father "Dan" with a gift from our Executive Officer.

During the course of the ensuing conversation we learned that Malaita had been practically untouched by the Japs. There had been no general occupation of the island. Only a few small outposts had been established here and, after the counter-invasion of Guadalcanal and Tulagi by the United States forces, they had been quickly liquidated, the natives helping in this entertaining activity. Because of the relative safety of Malaita hundreds of refugees, native and European, had come here to escape the Japs on the other islands of the group.

In answer to our enquiry about the possibility of seeing one of the local "mints" in action, Father "Dan" summoned a native boy who could operate motor boats and instructed him to take us up the lagoon to the villages in which the money beads were produced.

The waters of the lagoon were of a deep ultramarine and as a gentle breeze rippled its surface they reflected flecks of silver in the brilliant sunshine. Here and there were areas of emerald green marking the shallow water which lay over hidden coral reefs. These reefs, beautiful to the eye but deadly to a boat, were avoided through the skill of our boy and we proceeded without trouble.

The first village was quaint beyond imagination. It was situated on a

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Figure 2

This neat little village, situated on a coral walled island of very small area, is located in the lagoon north of the mission. It was here that the demonstrations of shell bead money making were witnessed.

small island almost perfectly round and hardly a hundred and fifty yards across. The banks of the island, some six feet high, were solidly covered by an excellently laid coral wall giving it an exceedingly neat appearance (Figure 2). From a distance it looked for all the world like a tiny model village set upon a model lagoon.

The village itself consisted of the usual thatched huts with woven bamboo walls and the ever-present dirt and rather unpleasant smells the latter breaking the enchantment which we had previously felt and reminding us that this was a "working model"! The women, as usual, were nowhere to be seen having retired to their huts at our approach. The menfolk welcomed us and we were shown around the village which we now saw to be inhabited by about a dozen families. It being Sunday no work was going on. The natives are converts to the Christian church

and rigidly observe the Sabbath. We found through our conversation with the men that all the work of bead making is done by the women. With a can of corned beef we persuaded the men to have a demonstration of bead making given. Two women were brought out and set to work, (Figure 3).

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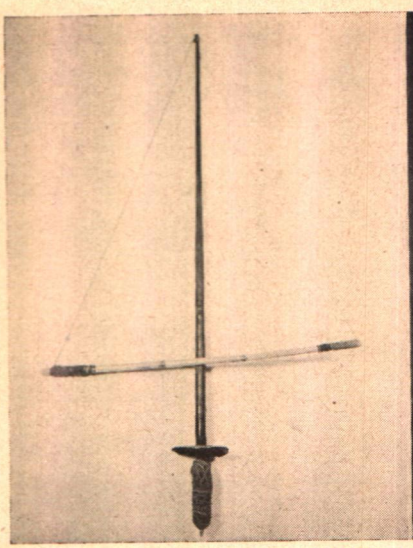
Figure 3

Native woman drilling bead blanks, one of the important steps in the production of shell bead money. This demonstration took place at the village shown in Figure 1.

The material for the white beads is obtained from the Arca granosa called "Kakandu" which abounds here. The material for the red beads is secured from the Chama pacifica called "Romu." Black beads were made at one time but I saw none of these.

First, small pieces are broken off the shells to form rough blanks. The flat sides are then polished by placing the blank in a shallow depression in a flat piece of wood and rubbing it with another flat stone, the abrasive effect of this second stone smoothing the blank. After one side is polished the blank is turned and the process is repeated to complete the smoothing of the flat sides.

After the blanks are roughed and the flat sides polished they are ready for the drilling. The drill itself (Figure 4), called "futa" is of a type common to primitive peoples the world over. It consists of a black palmwood shaft tipped with a sliver of hard white flint which is secured by a chuck formed of many turns of bush fibre cord. On the shaft, just above the chuck, is a wheel-like object, the whorl, carved from the spongy



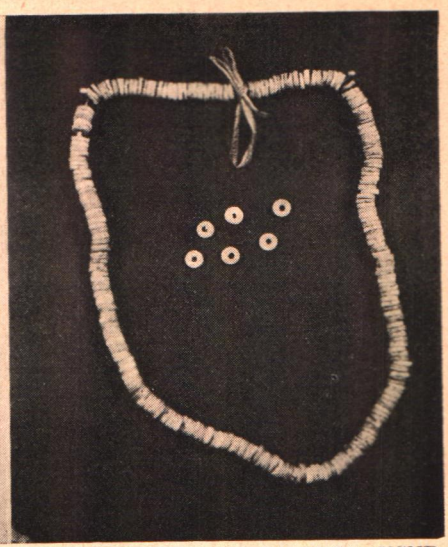


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Figure 4

Figure 5

Left—The drill used in drilling money beads. This specimen measures thirty-six inches from the tip of the flint drill bit to the upper end of the black palm wood shaft. The bamboo cross arm is twenty-two inches in length. The flint drill bit is sharpened periodically by chipping.

Right—A string of the shell bead money of Malaita. This illustration is about one-half natural size. The string shown here is currently worth about two dollars. It is twelve inches in length. The natives here have little regard for the value of the United States dollar. Enormously high prices paid by visiting servicemen for native handicrafts have caused the dollar to decline to practically nothing in the estimation of the natives.

portion of tortoise bone. Its purpose is to act as a fly-wheel lending an even speed to the drill. The actual power is delivered to the drill by a piece of bamboo the ends of which are joined to the upper end of the shaft by bush fibre cords so that the bamboo hangs at right angles to the shaft. The rotary motion is imparted to the drill by quick vertical strokes of the bamboo stick, the alternate winding and unwinding of the cords causing the shaft to spin first in one direction and then in the other.

While it is being drilled the blank is held in the operators left hand in one side of a coconut shell bowl containing a little water. Every few strokes the bowl is tilted so that the water in the bottom dampens the blank thus acting as a coolant and preventing the cracking of the blank from the heat of friction generated by the drilling. Four or five minutes are required to drill one bead in this manner.

After the beads are drilled they are ready for smoothing into uniformly round disks. The rough beads are strung on a string of strong bush fiber called "lili" into lengths of three or four feet. Fastened on a flat board, they are then rubbed in lengthwise direction with a stone having half round grooves on its face called "fouliara" using sand and water as the abrasive. This rubbing process continues until the beads are round and of the desired diameter (about one quarter of an inch). The finished beads are called "bata."

The beads are then strung on bush fiber into one fathom lengths. Sometimes entire strings of red or white beads are found but more commonly the colors are mixed, a few red being scattered through the white. The fathom strings may be gathered into bundles of from one to ten and even more. The white bead money is called "Rongo pura" and the red is referred to as "Rongo sisi." (Figure 5)

At the conclusion of the demonstration we thanked our hosts and, boarding the boat, continued up the lagoon.

Several native canoes were passed. They appeared at first to be dugouts but upon closer examination were found to be very cleverly constructed of half a dozen hand hewn planks strengthened internally by bent wood ribs which were lashed to the planking by strong pieces of fibre similar to rattan. To form watertight joints between the planks a caulking of vegetable gum was used. These canoes are quite seaworthy and are sometimes seen crossing open bodies of water several miles wide. On voyages of this sort a crude small sail is used. The dugout canoe is also seen here, one being passed on the way up the lagoon.

At the suggestion of our guide we decided to continue on to a very large village which lay some three miles ahead. Here, he told us, much shell bead money was produced, it being one of the largest villages on this coast.

Before we arrived we passed some strange looking crescent shaped coral walls lying, with their points away from shore, in the shallow water about one hundred yards from the beach. Our guide told us these were fish traps, or more properly corrals. The natives armed with spears, form a long semi-circular line several hundred feet from the trap. Together they walk toward the crescent driving the fish into the trap. Here they are speared while milling about in the shallow water.

Soon we reached the village the population of which numbered several hundreds of persons augmented by several score of dogs and scrawny pigs. Here we traded tobacco for baskets, tortoise shell bracelets and earrings and various species of seashells. At the same time I traded for a pearl shell fishing lure which is used, with a bone hook, in the same manner as our artificial lures though of course without the reel.

Much bead money is produced here and we were able to secure several examples of their drills (Figure 4). It was here that we saw the largest unit of bead money seen on the entire trip and, I believe, the largest unit used in trade. It was a quantity of beads sufficient to buy one wife of average quality. At this time the standard market price for a spouse was one hundred United States dollars. This bundle of beads consisted of two dozen or more strings of the fathom length white beads forming about ninety per cent of the string with about ten per cent of red beads scattered about in the strings. The red beads being the scarcer circulate at a much higher value than white ones. This string represented a small fortune to these natives and its owner was reputed to be one of the wealthiest men of the village.

Here also I secured two examples of mother of pearl bracelets which, I believe, at one time circulated as currency. They are not now used as a regular circulating medium. These bracelets are carved from the shell of a large gastropod with a pearly lining the bracelet merely being a transverse slice of the shell rounded and polished.

After an hour or so of trading and palaver we returned to Bina Mission and bade goodbye to the missionaries and the Bishop. The return crossing was rougher than that of the morning. After four hours of bucking the waves we made the smooth water of the channel and before dark came alongside the Tutuila's gangway. We had brought back many interesting mementos of the trip but best of all we brought back memories of having witnessed the remaining traces of a stone age economy which may soon vanish forever.

NEW AND RECENT ISSUES

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CHINA. 2 fen. Nickel bronze. Obverse: Sun in circle, 29th Year of the Republic (1940). Reverse: Spade coin design. This is a new value, but the design is similar to the earlier bronze fen and half fen of 1936, 1937.

Fen. 30th Year of the Republic (1941). Aluminum. Obverse: Chinese temple. Reverse: Central design surrounded by legend.

CYPRUS. 1 piastre, 1942. Bronze. Obverse: Head of king, left. Reverse: Value and date. Scalloped planchet, similar to the 1938 nickel coin of the same value.

FRANCE. 5 francs, 1945. Aluminum. Obverse: Liberty head left. Reverse: Value and date in wreath, similar to earlier nickel coin.

INDORE. ½ & ¼ Anna, 1935. Bronze. Obverse: Bust of ruler Holkar Jashwant Rao II, facing in circle; Nagari inscription. Reverse: Dates 1935 A. D., [1992 Samvat Era.], inscription. Leaf design enclosed in circle. The two pieces were struck at the mint in Gwalior.

JAPAN. 10 sen, 1944. Zinc. Obverse: Great Japan, 19th year of the Showa Era. Reverse: Value and kiri flower. Holed planchet. This zinc coin is replacing the aluminum 10 cent of 1943, on a larger planchet, without central hole.

PARAGUAY. 50 centimos, 1944. Aluminum bronze. Obverse: Lion, staff with liberty cap, Peace and Justice in circle. REPUBLIC OF PARAGUAY, and date around border. Reverse: Value in wreath.

ROUMANIA. 200 lei, 1943. Silver. Obverse: Head of King Michael, right, inscription. Reverse: Arms dividing date, value below. The 100 lei, 1943, erroneously described as a nickel coin in the August issue of The Numismatist is made from an iron alloy, but looks like nickel.

SPAIN. Peseta, 1944. Aluminum bronze. Obverse: Arms of Spain, inscription ESPANA, 1944. The Reverse: Large numeral 1, PESETA in circle of six shields.

SWEDEN. Ore, 1945. Iron. Obverse: Crowned monogram of King Gustav V., date, inscription. Reverse: Value and three crowns. Size and design similar to the last bronze coin of this value.

25 ore, 1944, 1945. Silver. Obverse: Large crown. SVERIGE below. Reverse: Value and date. This silver coin is replacing the earlier coins of the same size but of different design.

VENEZUELA. 5 centimos, 1944. Nickel-bronze. Obverse: Arms, a somewhat different shield than the earlier nickel coin of the same value. Reverse: Value 5 CENTIMOS in wreath.

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Indore
1935 ½ Anna. Bronze

Spain
1944 1 Peseta. Al.-Br.

Indore
1935 ¼ Anna. Bronze

Venezuela
1944
5 Centimos - Ni.-Br.

Sweden
1945 25 Ore. Silver

Paraguay
1944 50 Centimos. Al.-Br.

France
1945 5 Francs. Aluminum

Japan
1944
10 Sen. Zinc

China
1940 2 Fen. Ni.-Br.

China
1941 1 Fen. Aluminum

SNAPSHOTS OF COLONIAL NOTE SIGNERS

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PART ONE

Signers of the Notes of Pennsylvania

The collector of colonial paper currencies must, at one time or another, have wondered about the signatures that appeared on those notes of an era long past. Surely, the study of those media of exchange should not cease with the mere knowledge of technical details surrounding their emission, or with the study of counterfeiting. We should endeavor to learn something of the men themselves and their deeds if we are to intelligently evaluate the true merit and historical significance of our colonial script. The men who signed those crudely printed scraps of paper in their cramped, illegible, or meticulous penmanship imparted life to the notes—the money that was a boon by alleviating the scarcity of specie, and a curse by striking off great quantities the longer the colonists adapted themselves to its increasing use.

And so, let us turn back to the dim past and search in forgotten nooks and corners to uncover what information we can of those men, great and small, who working together forged the sinews of their common destiny on the land they loved and fought for with burning patriotism. Concerning some there is a wealth of information to be gathered, while of others there is little or no trace remaining today. Due to space we perforce will limit our present study to the signers of Pennsylvania bills of credit, leaving the study of other colonies for the future. We should remember that practically all signers of Pennsylvania notes were citizens of Philadelphia. Only notes in the writer's collection were used as a basis for the following biographical sketches.

Turning first to the issue of October 1, 1756, which was for £30,000. we find on this 20s. note the signatures of Peter Reeve, Joseph Morris, and Joseph Saunders. Reeve and Saunders were among the original members of the "State in Schuylkill," that unique club whose members were outstanding men, and whose chambers were visited by General Washington and other illustrious visitors to Philadelphia. Morris was related to Robert Morris, patriot and a financier of the Revolution. There is very little information existing of these men, but we know that all three were signers of the non-importation agreements, when the Stamp Act was being put into operation. As merchants they violently opposed Britain's actions and regulations.

There were 12,000 notes each of the 5s., 10s., 15s., and 20s. issued, to be current for ten years. Trade was expanding and there was a growing need for credit as well as the gradually mounting feeling of alarm, which prompted the Assembly to issue large sums for immediate use, although the objectionable features insisted upon by England were retained. In this year (1756) France and England were at war and the prize, Canada, was taken by Britain, according to the Treaty of Paris signed seven years later.

The issue of May 20, 1758, was for £100,000 and there were 38,000 each of the 5s., 10s., 15s., and 20s., notes struck. The signers of this 20s. note were James Benezet, James Child, and Thomas York. As a lieutenant-colonel of the "Associators," York helped to organize that group for the common defense of the colony. On December 6, 1747, he marched with six hundred of them to the Court House, where they were assured of the government's support of their cause. By the following April, one thousand of them were under arms, planning and erecting various strategic forts and batteries to defend the city, including one on the present location of the Navy Yard. In answer to appeals to the governors of New York and Massachusetts, Clinton and Shirley loaned them artillery for the purpose; New York responded by sending eighteen 18 pounders.

The emission of April 25, 1759, was for £100,000 and there were 10,000 notes each of the £5, £2, 10s., 20s., 15s., 10s., and 5s., struck. The signers of this £5 note, Reeve, Joseph Morris, and Henry Harrison, were all ardent patriots long before the days of the traditional Revolutionary heroes. As mayor of Philadelphia, Harrison served his city in 1762. During that year the poor condition of the city's streets was under consideration, as well as the fact that the surplus money from the rents of the public were inadequate for their repairs. In later years we find some emissions made for the express purpose of paving the streets and lanes.

At this time, Franklin and Robert Charles were in London acting as agents for the province and were instrumental in getting permission from the Crown for this and the issue of June, 1759. From his earliest days of influence in Pennsylvania, Franklin was a staunch supporter of the use of paper money to stimulate trade among the colonies and abroad. We know that he printed the early issues of paper for the colony. His pamphlet, "The Nature and Necessity of a Paper Money," was frequently discussed in the Junto. He also printed the paper money issued by the New Castle legislature. His profits were greater from note printing than from most other forms, because he had taught himself to do the ornamental and copper-work art, the vignettes, press-plates, etc. In fact he did all his own work and made his own tools.

On May 1, 1760, £100,000 was emitted, but no particulars exist as to the signers or the quantity of each denomination issued, but upon this 20s. note we find the signatures of Charles Jones, Joseph Stretch, and Charles Thomson. Signers of this £5 note were Jonathan Evans, John Jervis, and Matthew Drason.

Jones, Stretch, Harrison, Samuel Wharton, Joseph and Samuel Shoemaker, Joseph Redman, Joshua Howell, James Wharton, Luke Morris, and William Fisher, all signers of Pennsylvania currency, were admitted into membership of the "State in Schuylkill" in 1748, indicating their prominence in city affairs.

Undoubtedly one of the most influential men of the Revolution, and probably less recognized than any other, was Charles Thomson, born in Maghera, Ireland, November 20, 1729. His father immigrated to America with Charles and three other sons, but died en route. An older brother, who had come over some years before arranged for Charles to enter the seminary of Dr. Francis Allison, at New London, Penna.

An Indian tribe adopted him in 1756, in recognition of services he performed in treaties with the Indians, and gave him the name of "the man of truth." He was one of the first to take his stand with the colonists, becoming the soul of the Continental Congress, for he served as secretary from its birth in 1774 until it expired fifteen years later. He was reputed to be "the Sam Adams of Philadelphia, the life of the cause of liberty, they say," according to John Adams' Journal.

His election as secretary was strongly contested by the conservative members, headed by Galloway of Penna., but Thomson was well liked and accordingly was installed. Later, when the Second Congress met, Peyton Randolph and Thomson were again chosen as president and secretary. He transcribed Franklin's "Articles of Confederation and Perpetual Union," into what he entitled "A History of the Confederation." Copies were distributed among the members and through the colonies, while even some were captured by the British troops.

In January of 1779, when Paine's articles were appearing in the "Pennsylvania Packet," concerning French aid to America, debates arose over his knowledge of entries in the Journal of Congress, quoting a specific entry of the 7th of January. Thomson had taken the records home with him and not even his office clerks had seen it. Evidently, someone had told tales out of school!

On September 27, 1783, on the Committee of the States, he wrote, "Whatever little politicians may think, time will evince that it is of no small consequence to save appearances with foreign nations, and not to suffer the Federal government to become invisible. A government without a visible head must appear a strange phenomenon to European politicians and will, I fear, lead them to form no very favorable opinion of our stability, wisdom or Union." On October 1st, he wrote to Jefferson, "Though this invisibility of a federal head will have little effect on our affairs here, or in the minds of the citizens of the United States who can easily reconcile themselves to it and who will view it in no other light than the rising or dissolution of their several legislatures to which they have been accustomed, yet I am apprehensive it will have an ill aspect in the eyes of European nations and give them unfavorable impressions, which will require all your address to remove."

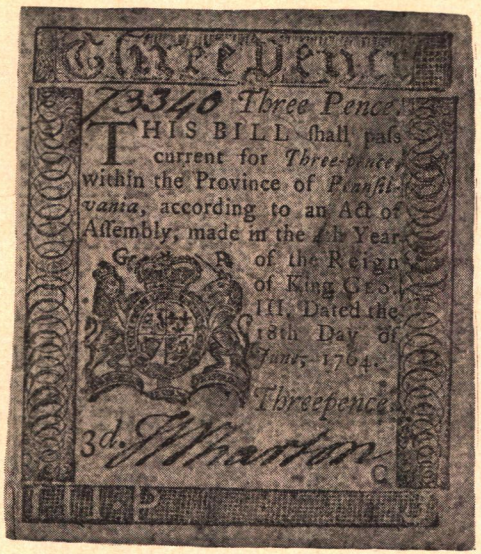
Thomson drafted a letter to the delegates on November 11, 1784, to come to Trenton, for on November 1st there were only seven delegates from five states recorded. Again in June 1787, when Congress was meeting in New York, he was writing again to bolster the few states that were represented, "I think it of great importance to the honor and safety of the Confederacy that Congress should be in session and the form at least of government kept up in the present situation of affairs . . . You cannot imagine what an alarm the secession of the Members from Congress at this crisis has spread through the eastern states." On July 9th, seven states answered the roll call. This was indeed a poor beginning for a new-born nation, hoping for recognition in the courts of Europe!

From the 19th of February to the 2nd of March, 1789, not one single delegate attended, but in an important sense the old Congress was not yet dead. Thomson was the link between the old and the new. He hoped bravely for a position in the new order, but was discarded along with

so much of the old. On July 23rd, he submitted to Washington his resignation, who accepted it on the 24th, and the following day "the books, records and papers of the late Congress, the Great Seal of the Federal Union, and the Seal of the Admiralty" were delivered to Roger Alden, deputy secretary of Congress for the time being. The Continental Congress had passed on into history, symbol of a struggle for freedom under a new and untried form of government.

Thomson wrote numerous books and articles as well as making a translation of the Bible, which is now of the greatest rarity. He had reflected upon the possibilities of writing a book about Congress, but he destroyed the manuscript because he feared that the unpatriotic attitude of some members would greatly pain their descendants. He retired to Lower Merion, Penna., where he died on August 16, 1824.

On June 18, 1764, an emission for £55,000 was made but no particulars of the act exist today. The attention of Parliament was continually being drawn to the subject of the currency of the colonies, and in 1764 passed an act which prevented any bills of credit issued thereafter from being declared a legal tender. It was hoped by this expedient to check the ruinous flux of paper which was believed by the uncertainty of its value from month to month to be injuring the British merchants who traded in America. During all these years Franklin continued to argue strenuously against these views and his respected opinions weighed heavily in favor of the increased use of paper money.



Issue of June 18, 1764

The signer of this 3d. note, Joseph Wharton, was a member of the American Philosophical Society, successor to Franklin's Junto. From his haughty manner, Wharton became known as the "Duke." It was related that when he called upon Sir William Draper, who was visiting the city, he held his hat in hand. The Knight, with great complaisance,

told him that, as it was contrary to the custom of the Quakers, he would dispense with this mark of respect; whereupon the "Duke" replied that he had his hat off not out of respect for Sir William but because it was a hot day. During the elections of 1742, which were bitterly contested between the "country party" and the "gentlemen's party," Wharton was roundly defeated, as were most of the adherents of the wealthy class. One of the victors at the polls during that election, Thomas Leech, was a signer of later issues and also of various issues of the Continental Currency.

This 20s. note was signed by Joseph Jacobs, Benjamin Morgan, and Isaac Stretch. Of Morgan, we find that he was one of the members of a "society for the cultivation of silk" with Henry Drinker, John Rhea, and others. The movement was sponsored by the American Philosophical Society under Franklin's guidance, at a critical time when war feelings were high and non-importation by several of the colonies required advancement of American manufactures. The Society established filatures where cocoons might be received and silk reeled. The Legislature was asked to appropriate £500 for premiums for mulberry trees, cocoons, etc., and produced samples of American silk, some woven, some knit into gloves. The Assembly refused, but by popular subscription the money was raised. A filature was established on 7th Street, between High and Mulberry, and tuition and employment promised to girls wishing to learn to reel silk. A premium of £15 was offered to the person bringing in the greatest number of cocoons (no less than 30,000), but found in 1772 that they were paying too much money for them as too many cocoons were found to be spoiled and useless. The idea proved to be popular, if not a financial success, by weaving a pattern of Pennsylvania silk which was presented to the Queen by Dr. Franklin. As Her Majesty promised to wear it on the occasion of the King's birthday, the Assembly rushed to the Society's aid by voting £1,000 for further advancements. It was not long, however, before the project was abandoned as unwise and costly.

Of the issue of March 1, 1769, which was for £16,000, there were 3,000 notes of the £3, 4,000 of the 30s., 1,000 of the 12s., and 1,000 of the 8s. printed. This issue was redeemed to the extent of £15,522 16s., and were extensively counterfeited. In 1773, Governor Richard Penn was forced to offer a reward of £500 for the apprehension of the culprits. The notes were called in and for the most part were destroyed.

This note for £3 was signed by John Nixon, Thomas Wharton, and Joseph Richardson. Of Richardson, we learn that he, John Mifflin, Luke Morris, and William Allen, signed the original petition to erect a county insane asylum or hospital.

Thomas Wharton was born in Chester county, in 1735, and subsequently rose to a position of prominence and esteem in the city. On the passage of the Stamp Act, his name, with that of his grandfather and other members of the family, was among the first affixed to the non-importation agreements of 1765. When news reached Philadelphia of the closing of the Boston port, a public meeting was held May 20, 1774, and he was chosen a member of the Committee of Correspondence. On June 22nd, he was appointed with Nixon and Joseph Reed to request the Speaker of the Assembly to call a meeting of that body to consult

Issue of March 1, 1769

on the public affairs that were causing great disturbance among the populace and businessmen of the colonies. He also was one of the twenty-five members of the Committee of Safety, in which the authority of the government was temporarily vested, and in 1777 he was elected President of Pennsylvania. He moved to Lancaster with the executive council when the British occupied Philadelphia. There he died, and according to his request, he was interred within the walls of the Evangelical Trinity Church.

John Nixon was born in Philadelphia in 1733. His father, Richard, was a shipping merchant, and who built Nixon's Wharf in 1738 on the banks of the Delaware River. In 1756, John was elected lieutenant of the Dock-yard company of Associators. In 1765 he signed the non-importation agreements, and became a warden of the city port in 1766. In June of 1774, Nixon was made a member of the Committee of Correspondence, and was a deputy of the conventions that met during 1774-75. In April of 1775, when the Associators were again called into being after a period of inactivity, he was chosen as lieutenant-colonel of the 3rd Battalion, known as the "silk stockings." He was a member during the entire lifetime of the Committee of Safety, often presiding at the meetings. In May of 1776, he had charge of the defenses of the Delaware at Fort Island and in July took over command of the city guard.

Undoubtedly, his greatest claim to fame is that when the Continental Congress signed the Declaration of Independence, it was then ordered to be publicly read from the steps of the State House at noon on July 8th. Nixon had the great honor to read this immortal document to the large audience that congregated before the building. It was certainly a proud moment for him. Later in the month he moved with his battalion to Amboy, where he trained for six weeks. In December, having been made a colonel, he marched his men to Trenton, remaining with General Washington until January, participating in the Battle of Princeton. In 1776, he became a member of the Navy Board, and during the winter of great hardships at Valley Forge he stood beside his leader throughout the heart-searing days and nights. Nixon became one of the first directors of the bank organized to supply the troops with supplies, and later one of the founders of the Bank of North America, which opened in 1783. He became second president of that institution in 1792, retaining the office until his death December 31, 1808, in Philadelphia.

Issue of March 20, 1771

The issue of March 20, 1771, was for £25,000, and there were 6,000 notes of the 20s., 15s., 10s., and 5s. printed. Signers of the 15s. note were Joel Evans, Thomas Mifflin, and Joseph Morris. The meagre information unearthed concerning Evans is disappointing; his property was seized and forfeited for treason to America, having fled with other Tory-minded sympathizers when the redcoats were marching toward the colonial capital. The land, "one half of a tract of land of about 47½ acres in Blockley township, near Cobb's Creek, sold to John Dunlap,

James Budden, and Thomas Lawrence for £15,000 Continental money, subject to ground rent of 7½ bushels of wheat,'' was disposed of during 1781, as were dozens of other dwellings and parcels of property owned by those who cast their lot with Lord Howe's men.

Thomas Mifflin was born in Philadelphia in 1744. When the news of Lexington arrived, he advocated strong action, and when troops were raised, he was active in the organization and drilling of one of the first regiments, was made its major and thereby severed his connections with the Quakers. He was chosen as Washington's first aide-de-camp with the rank of colonel soon after the establishment of headquarters at Cambridge. While there he led a detachment against the British in some skirmishes nearby. In July of '75, he was made quartermaster-general and after the evacuation of Boston by the British, he was made a brigadier-general on May 19, 1776. He commanded part of the Penna. troops while the army was encamped before New York, and his brigade was acclaimed the best disciplined in the army. In one action, he covered the rear guard in the retreat from Long Island, and through a blunder he received the order to retreat before all of the troops had embarked. But after marching his men to the ferry, he regained the lines before the enemy discovered the post was deserted. In November 1776, he came again to Philadelphia to represent Congress concerning the critical condition of the army and to arouse the patriotism of all Pennsylvanians. Congress appealed to the militia of the city and nearby counties to join the army in New Jersey. He organized and trained the three regiments of Associators from the city and its outskirts which dispatched 1,500 men to Trenton. In January 1777, accompanied by members of the legislature, he made a tour of Penna. towns and by his stirring oratory he brought many recruits into the service. He led reinforcements up before the Battle of Princeton was fought. Due to impaired health, he offered his resignation but Congress refused to accept it. When friends of Washington overcame the Conway intrigue, Mifflin was replaced by General Nathaniel Greene in March 1778, and in October, Mifflin and Gates were discharged from the Board of War.

Upon investigation of his conduct in connection with the disclosed scheme to overthrow Washington, Congress made restitution in the amount of $1,000,000 to settle outstanding claims and refused his second request to resign. In January 1780, he was appointed on a commission to devise means of retrenching expenses. After being elected to Congress, he became its president November 3, 1783. He was a member of the Legislature in 1785, and in 1787 was a delegate to the convention to frame the Constitution. He was elected first governor of Penna. in 1790, and was elected for two more terms of three years each. He was later elected to the Assembly and died during the term of office in 1799.

Regarding the suspected plot to supplant General Washington, we know that there was some friction nevertheless. A letter written by Washington on December 22, 1776, was bluntly worded, ''I have been tendered heretofore of giving any opinion or lodging complaints, as the change in that department took place contrary to my judgment, and the consequences thereof were predicted; yet, finding that the inactivity of

the Army, whether for want of provisions, Cloaths, or other essentials, is charged to my Acct., not only by the common vulgar, but those in power, it is time to speak plain in exculpation of myself; with truth then I can declare that, no Man, in my opinion, ever had his measures more impeded than I have, by every department of the Army. Since the month of July, we have had no assistance from the Quartermaster Genl. and to want of assistance from this department the Commissary Gen. charges great part of his deficiency." The finger of accusation was pointed directly at Mifflin who held that office. Richard Henry Lee was also implicated as he was on the most intimate terms with Mifflin, and other letters appear to substantiate the suspicion in part, if not in whole.

Joshua Howell signed the non-importation agreements circulated among the citizenry for their support, but some time later had three coach horses, together with other supplies, seized fo ruse by the army. These seizures were directed against the Quakers and Tories. There were many who opposed the British policy in dealing with the colonies but who also opposed the rebellious attitude of the colonists. In all fairness to the Quakers we should not judge them too harshly for their neutral behavior, for most men in most times act and think in a way to benefit themselves during war even as in peace. The signature of Howell appears on the 20s. note, along with those of Jacob Shoemaker and Stephen Collins.

The issue of April 3, 1772, was for £25,000. Of the 40s. notes there were 5,000, of the 2s.6d., 2s., 1s.6d., and 1s. notes there were 33,962 each, as well as of the 9d., 6d., and 3d. denominations. There were 33,963 notes of the 4d. printed. Signers of the 1s. note were Joseph Swift, Cadwalader Morris, and Samuel Hudson. Morris was a member of the Continental Congress in 1783. He argued in a letter to William Bingham, another delegate from Penna., that in his opinion seven states were perfectly competent to ratify the treaty with Britain, but was opposed in his views by Thomas Jefferson. After trying to get the delegates up from sick beds and long distances, he remarked, "So much for the politicians, who cunningly removed Congress to the Lee ward." We have already noticed how little the delegates attended the meetings in the last few years of its existence, and how Thomson endeavored to get the men to come and carry on the business of governing the colonies.

Cadwalader Morris was born in Phila., April 19, 1741, became a member of the City Troop of Horse that was commanded by his cousin, Capt. Samuel Morris, and served at one time as Inspector of the Bank of Penna. In 1780, he subscribed £2,500 to its capital and his father, Samuel, pledged £3,000 to this unique bank organized to provide supplies for the army. In 1781, he was a founder and director of the Bank of America. After the war he purchased an iron furnace, which he operated for several years at Birdsborough, Berks county, Penna., after which he returned to his former mercantile pursuits in the city.

Joseph Swift and Samuel Hudson were signers of the non-importation agreements along with other merchants of the city, but little else had been found concerning these men.

Issue of April 3, 1772

Signers of this 2s. note were John Morton, John Sellers, and Charles Humphreys. Sellers was a native of Chester, Penna., and was on the commission to lay out a new road from the capital to Lancaster "by way of the Schuylkill Middle Ferry, the Ship Tavern in Chester county, and thence by the Gap road to the village of Strasburg in Lancaster county, a public highway forever, sixty feet wide." He was also favored to view the astronomical phenomenon, the transit of Venus, on June 3, 1769, along with Dr. William Smith and John Lukens at David Rittenhouse's observatory at Norristown. At the same time, it was being viewed from a hastily erected one on the lawn of the court-yard of the State House by Charles Thomson, Thomas Prior, and a few other notables. Sellers also signed various issues of the Continental Currency.

Charles Humphreys was appointed by the Assembly along with Thomas Mifflin, Samuel Rhoads and others, to be deputy to the Continental Congress in 1775.

John Morton played an important role as delegate to the Congress and was a signer of the Declaration of Independence. Upon his tombstone in the graveyard of the Episcopal Church, Chester, are engraved the words, "In voting by states upon the question of the independence of the American colonies, there was a tie until the vote of the last member, John Morton, decided the promulgation of the glorious diploma of American freedom." However, his vote to be of value and of such importance grew out of the withdrawal of Dickinson and Robert Morris, both of whom were opposed to the declaration from the beginning. The old Morton house still stands today a few miles north of Chester, a relic of a bygone era that served its country so well in the great men it produced and the great deeds of patriotism they performed without regard for personal gain.

The signers of this 2s.6d. bill were Joel Evans, Adam Hubley and John Mifflin. Hubley, Evans and John Sellers were included in the original list of sixty names commissioned by Congress to sign issues of the Continental currency. Hubley was one of the forty-three members of the Committee of Correspondence, appointed to raise money for the relief of sufferers in Boston when the port was closed, and to find out who the people wanted as delegates to the forthcoming Continental Congress. The tide of revolution was running high. It started in Boston and flowed south through all the colonies in protest of Britain's actions in dealing with Boston troubles.

Signers of the note for 40s. were Thomas Coombe, Samuel Pleasants and Thomas Clifford. Coombe studied for the ministry for some time with Jacob Duché, who read the prayers at the meetings of the Congress and was an outstanding preacher of his day in Philadelphia. Coombe, however, gave up the ministry and entered other pursuits. He was also among those who signed notes issued by the Congress in ever-increasing amounts.

This then, concludes the first part of our study into the lives of the signers of colonial notes of Pennsylvania. The second installment, dealing with signers of the issue of March 20, 1773, and the succeeding emissions, will be published in a later issue. It is to be hoped that what little light we have shed on the subject will aid some of us in a better understanding of the field of colonial currencies and the men who guided the colonies along the rough road to eventual freedom from abroad. Each one of these notes is more than a numismatic item for our collections, it is a bit of history so important, and so sacred, to us, as Americans.

(end of part one)

BOOK REVIEW

By H. W. HOLZER

"Judaica in Nummis." Suggestions for Arranging a Collection of Jewish Coins and Medals. By Professor Bruno Kisch. Reprinted from **Historia Judaica**, Vol. VII, No. 2, October 1945.

In the space of 23 pages, illustrated by five plates, Dr. Kisch gives a rather foolproof outline for a system to be used by collectors of Judaica.

After his "Suggestions for arranging a collection of Medicina in Nummis," which appeared sometime ago, we expected a similarly well-defined framework, and we were not disappointed. No aspect of Jewish or pseudo-Jewish numismatics has been overlooked, and the serious student will do well by making for himself a chart as suggested in the index of this essay; of course, very few collectors have the opportunities and handy assistance of a specialized collection such as the author's, whose cabinet is perhaps one of the best in existence.

We might add that "Judaea Capta" (not Judea, as it appears on p. 146) denarii were issued in the East, at Ephesus perhaps, or even in the Holy Land itself. These are of a rather crude workmanship, and exist in varieties with and without the legend.

We would have started the article with the second paragraph, and let the first one go by the board; but those are minor observations which cannot possibly deflect from the great merits of the work.

"Jewish Personal Medals Without Portraits." By Professor Guido Kisch. Reprinted from **"Historia Judaica,"** Vol. VII, No. 2, October, 1945.

First published in **Numismatic Review**, this now somewhat expanded and

annotated version was reprinted by the **Review**, without plates. These have been added here by the author, and the entire article represents, as it appears now, a rather important, and certainly interesting contribution to a much neglected branch of numismatics.

Allied Military Currency. Some Queries and Observations, by Walter E. Spahr. Published by the Economists' National Committee on Monetary Policy, 70 Fifth Avenue, New York. September, 1943.

Professor Spahr demonstrates in this trim 30-page booklet, what dangers there are in uncontrolled and unchecked issues of war time necessity money. Inasmuch as much of the material is of an economic rather than numismatic nature, the parts of interest to collectors deal with the exact descriptions and listings of the notes actually issued.

Monnaies Francaises. (Colonies 1670-1942, Métropole 1774-1942). Edited by André Barry. Versailles 1937/1942. 835 pages, including 335 full pages of photographs. Linen bound, small octavo, in board cover. U. S. Agent, H. M. F. Schulman, 545 Fifth Avenue, New York. Price not certain.

Compiled under the most difficult conditions of German Occupation, this mammoth work, nevertheless, is of the standard class variety, and must be considered the best reference work on French coins to date. Whereas Ciani's and Hoffmann's works are easier to handle, because they did not have to cramp as much information into so little space, having lots of paper at their disposal, their importance remains untouched particularly in the medieval series, since the present work does not go back beyond Louis XVI.

In tabular form, Monnaies Francaises gives the history, dates, exact and full descriptions of every coin issued, the number struck, and its value in francs at the time of compilation; even medals and essays are included, as are the Napoleonic States throughout Europe.

The book is compact, and strictly scientific, without wasting a single word for show; and while it is in French, we have always felt anyone sufficiently interested in French numismatics will not fail to acquaint himself with the few words or terms in that language he may need.

The Temple of Artemis at Ephesos. By Bluma L. Trell. Numismatic Notes and Monographs no. 107, New York 1945. Published by the American Numismatic Society. 71 pages, 28 plates.

Miss Trell's exhaustive essay is a first rate job of applied numismatics; applied, that is, to its parent science, archeology, with the result that it sheds invaluable light on problems hitherto dimly understood.

The many "temple" types among the coins of Ephesos here serve to illustrate the architectural history of that city, and in turn, archeological evidence is used to explain the coin types—which to the average collector are counted only by the number of columns, or other insignificant details.

Of particular importance, though more archeologically than numismatically, is Miss Trell's correct interpretation of the "pedimental openings" in the sides of temple structures, and a list of 38 different temples located in Asia minor, which appear on coins, will be found rather useful by serious specialists in Greek Colonial coins.

The monograph, inspired by Professor Lehmann-Hartleben's class at Fine Arts Institute, is far superior to Mr. Brown's earlier monograph, in that it really makes use of all the available evidence, and not just that easy to reach.

It should also make those, who call numismatics "just a hobby," think a little, and to some of our colleagues, who like to dream of numismatics as a fully detached doctrine, it will bring home the undeniable facts of the close interdependence existing between archeology and numismatics.

THE PRESIDENT'S PAGE

V. LEON BELT
Box 2231
Phoenix, Arizona

The Red Cross is again soliciting your support. You are all aware of the grand and glorious contributions made by the Red Cross to humanity in general. Nothing I could say would add to that record. Show your appreciation by your liberality.

National Coin Week for 1946 will be April 7 to 13, inclusive. The general program will be under the direction of L. W. Culver, 2708 E. Hampshire St., Milwaukee 11, Wisconsin. Full details will be published in the March issue of THE NUMISMATIST. Plan now to take an active part and win one of the valuable prizes.

The change of paper used in THE NUMISMATIST, the delayed receipt of the December and January issues and the new wrappers are the results of difficulties your officers have been experiencing during the past several months. We have been unable to obtain our usual weight of paper or the regular quality. What has been used is the best we can obtain right now. Mailing in wrappers was a "try-out" in an effort to change "from the hard-to-get envelopes" we have been using and the delay, largely, is in the mail service. You may rest assured your officers will do everything possible to correct these annoying matters as soon as possible.

May I thank the many members of the Association, as well as others, who have written me letters during the past few months. I try to answer each letter but find it almost impossible at times on account of the press of other necessary work. Please bear with me and I will get to you shortly. As a whole your ideas, suggestions, and comments have been exceedingly helpful and very much appreciated.

With the close of 1945 an Awards Committee was appointed to study and report on articles submitted for publication in THE NUMISMATIST for the year. Awards will be based upon originality, literary merit, usefulness to collectors, completeness and timeliness. Eighteen awards will be made, starting with $100.00 and a silver medal, for first place down to $10.00 each for the last eight places. The total amount to be awarded is $500.00, in cash, and one silver and one bronze medal. These awards are certainly well worth striving for. Why don't you submit an article? Even if you do not win a cash award the honor is well worth the effort. Write Editor Mosher for details.

THE NUMISMATIST is the official organ of the A. N. A. and the articles which appear in it are direct contributions from members. It is the duty of the editor to select and edit the articles that are published. Naturally, it is not possible to publish everything that is received by the editor, though everything submitted is given the same careful attention.

If you have an idea for an article why not submit it to the editor before you spend too much time on research. In the past it has often happened that two or more numismatists have spent months and months writing on the same topic, and it is not possible nor prudent to publish duplicate articles. So, before you begin a lengthy study, why not ask the editor if he knows of any other collector who is working on the same subject. He might also be able to suggest research sources that will be of assistance in the preparation of your article.

FROM THE DESK OF THE GENERAL SECRETARY

LEWIS M. REAGAN
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Brooklyn 1, N. Y.

Change of Address Notices

The notification of change of address is most important and the problem of keeping our mailing list up to date is the most difficult one faced by this office. It is impossible unless the following requirements are observed carefully. Changes of address must be sent to the office of the General Secretary and must be sent directly by the member or subscriber. Notices sent by the Post Office are not entered officially. Notice must reach this office by the 20th of the month to be effective for the following month. The mailing list is returned to the printers on that date and further changes for the next mailing of THE NUMISMATIST are impossible. There are several hundred changes reported each month. Duplicate copies cannot be mailed to the new address unless the first copy is returned by the post office. New addresses are published after they have been entered on the mailing list. Notices of change of address cannot be acknowledged.

Postal Zone Numbers

Some members seem to be unaware of the fact that in cities in which this system is used the postal zone number is an important and permanent part of your address and your mail delivery will be facilitated if it is included. If it does not yet appear on your mailing stencil, please notify this office.

Membership Directory

The new membership directory is in preparation and will contain addresses on record on March 1, but no corrections can be made after that date. A copy will be mailed to each member as soon as it is published, and to each new member on date of admission to membership. Members admitted in March and thereafter will receive the new edition.

Membership Dues

Most members have paid their dues for 1946. Second notices have been sent to the few who have not. Payments are received in every mail so that some of these notices will reach those who have already paid. If you have received an acknowledgment of your payment, just ignore the second statement. If you have made payment but have not received an acknowledgment within a reasonable length of time, please notify this office and it will be helpful if you will give the approximate date of payment. Care has been taken in recording and acknowledging payments but a few errors have been made, no doubt.

Membership Buttons

In response to an announcement made on this page a few months ago that two styles of official membership buttons were available from the General Secretary, orders were received in such volume as to exhaust the present supply. As soon as a new supply is available a further announcement will be made here.

Red Cross

Elsewhere in this issue of THE NUMISMATIST is an announcement of the plan under which members of the Association are invited to make their contributions to the Red Cross through the Association this year. The General Secretary is pleased to join with the other officers and the Committee in soliciting your cooperation and support.

THE EDITOR'S CORNER

Professor Mabbott Honored

We are pleased to learn that our friend and colleague, Dr. Thomas Ollive Mabbott, has been appointed full Professor of English at Hunter College, New York.

He is to take over the Chair, January 1, 1946. Best wishes, T. O. M., and congratulations to Hunter College for bestowing such a long deserved honor.

Correction

In the January issue, page 35, we said that the Roosevelt Memorial Medal could be obtained from the Director of the Mint, Washington, D. C., for $1.57.

This is incorrect.

This medal, as well as all other Mint medals, should be ordered from the Philadelphia Mint. The correct cost, which includes postage, is $1.66.

Early Numismatic Advertising

One of our alert readers submits two numismatic advertisements, extracted from the ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS of December 29, 1849. He would like to know if other collectors are aware of earlier attempts to commercialize our avocation.

ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND MEDALS SELLING OFF.—Bronze large Medals. 2s. 6d. each, published at 12s. 6d.; and in white metal, 6 l. each, published at 2s. 6d. These medals are well adapted for school prizes, forming a series from the Accession of Queen Victoria, her Visit to the City, Coronation, Christening of the Prince of Wales, Laying the Foundation-stone of the Royal Exchange by Prince Albert; also the Thames Tunnel, Parliament Houses, Lord Eldon, Lord John Russell, the King of Belgium, Rubens, and others. Importer of Grotesque Elastic Figures and Faces. A great variety of China and Bohemian Vases and Papier Mache, Parisian and German Novelties, suitable for Christmas presents.—HYAMS, 59, Cornhill, one door from Gracechurch-street

ANCIENT COINS and MEDALS.—Mr. PETER WHELAN, 36, opposite the British Museum, has Novelties on sale at very moderate prices. Fine Greek, and 1st and 2nd Brass, Fine Roman Silver, 1s and 1s 6d each. Antique Bronzes, Rings, and Etruscan Vases on sale. Assignats of the French Revolution before the two last, 1s each. Ancient Egyptian Linen, the "Fine Linen of Scripture," specimens, 1s each. Coins, Antiquities, &c. purchased to any amount for cash, and a handsome price given when fineness and rarity are combined. Please copy the name. The above are adapted for Christmas Presents.

As so little has been written on the origin and development of the coin and medal business we are reproducing the advertisements as they originally appeared.

An Idea From Australia

Dear Mr. Mosher:

Having been a member of the A. N. A. only a short time, I hesitate before speaking out of turn.

Although I think THE NUMISMATIST is a fine magazine, the advertisements are, on the whole, of only passing interest. Certainly they are not worth preserving in toto. Some months ago you published a criticism of them and I commend this action. May I suggest that you go a little further and number, as is done with very many publications, the advertising pages with a different series of numbers and arrange the magazine so that the volumes can be bound without the advertisements.

With best wishes,

G. C. HEYDE
A.N.A. No. 11117

Box 145, G. P. O.
Sydney, Australia

In Memory of Howland Wood

Ten years ago we were visiting Howland Wood at the Museum of the American Numismatic Society and while we were there a young boy came in with a handful of coins he wanted identified. Knowing that Mr. Wood had long been recognized, and rightly so, as one of the foremost authorities on coins we were rather taken aback to hear him tell the young visitor that he couldn't identify one of the pieces. That is, he couldn't identify it offhand. As he waited for a few reference books from the library, he encouraged the boy to talk about his collection. This the boy did with enthusiasm, once his shyness had worn off. When the books arrived, Mr. Wood quickly attributed the coins to one of the small German principalities.

Before the boy left, he cautioned him never to hesitate in admitting his inability to attribute an unfamiliar coin. This bit of advice is among the most useful we have ever heard, and it is our hope that those who read this will practice, as well as perpetuate it.

Parable of the Lost Coin

Dear Editor:

The following parable quoted from the Gospel of St. Luke (Ch. XV vs. 8 & 9) is of special interest at this season, he being the author of the Christmas story.

"Either what woman having 10 pieces of silver if she lose one piece doth she not light a candle and sweep the house diligently till she find it? And when she hath found it she calleth her friends and her neighbors together saying 'Rejoice with me, for I have found the piece which I had lost.' Likewise I say unto you, there is joy in the presence of the angels over one sinner that repenteth."

The point of this story, the great joy of the woman, is missed by those unfamiliar with certain customs in Palestine in Christ's time and persisting to the present. The coin which the woman lost had a great sentimental value, it being part of her dowry and worn as a personal ornament; to have lost it would have been a reflection on her chastity. Pictures of modern Palestinian women show them wearing large numbers of coins.

Tourists in Palestine may purchase modern coins prepared for this purpose. They are beaten into a concave shape and have a hole at one margin. They make an interesting addition to ones collection. Only caveat emptor. Unless one is careful he may find that instead of a piece of silver, he has purchased a copper coin silver plated—very thin plating at that.

Very truly yours,

DEAN MILTIMORE, M. D.
Nyack, N. Y.

NON SURREXIT MAJOR

It grieves us to record in this issue, the deaths of Messrs. Jerrems and Tatman, who helped organize our Association fifty-five years ago. Though they were young men at the time, they had vision, hope, and enthusiasm. Yet, little could they have realized that they would live to see an association of 6,000 members and over 100 corporate clubs.

It is gratifying to know that they did and in their passing we salute them.

Passes Along Good Advice

Dear Sir:

My work gets me around a lot and lately I've met many new collectors who are at a loss as to what to collect. Until I read the item "None Too Small," on page 581 of the June issue, I was always puzzled as to how to advise them. That little piece of wisdom is a great help. As for myself, I'm having more pleasure with my unidentified junk coins than I ever had with the regular series. What with the inflated prices of popular coins, collectors would do well to spend more time with the obscure inexpensive pieces.

—A TRAVELLING COLLECTOR

I. N. A. Convention, May 24-26

A three day coin-convention, surpassed only by the regular yearly A. N. A. Convention, is to be held under the auspices of the Iowa Numismatic Association, in Des Moines, Iowa, from May 24th to 26th. It's a week-end affair, beginning Friday evening, and ending Sunday afternoon. There is a grand banquet planned, talks by A. N. A. President Belt, M. V. Sheldon, Loyd Gettys, and other outstanding speakers. An auction will be conducted by Jim Kelly.

For further details write L. Hellene Bohler, 1622 Elevant St., Des Moines 14, Iowa.

Suggests a Standard Routine

Dear Editor:

I'd like to suggest that our next Membership Directory contain some sort of a ritual that could be used in conducting the meetings of coin clubs. I know of quite a few clubs that are falling apart simply because their meetings are not conducted properly.

S. D., New Jersey

Answer: This seems like a good suggestion and it has been passed along to the Committee in charge of preparing the next issue of our Membership Directory. We assume you mean a sort of formal outline of conduct rather than a program of activities. The latter is best developed by clubs to suit their own particular needs.

MISCELLANEOUS LIBRARY NOTES

By TED R. HAMMER, A. N. A. Librarian

P. O. Box 225, Marinette, Wisc.

If you are a frequent borrower, you have noted, perhaps, that there are not so many back orders (delays) in shipments as formerly, despite the increased number of borrowers. This is because the A. N. A. board of governors last summer voted to have the library add duplicates.

What is the most popular book in the library? is a question we are asked frequently. This year, we would answer that the Beistle work on half dollar varieties and the Hazeltine type table on quarters, halves and dollars, top the list with the Hettrich-Guttag book on Civil War Tokens and Crosby's book on colonial coins running close behind.

Year after year, the books on large cents prove most popular of all. There are cycles during which borrowers are interested in paper money for three to six months; or in commemoratives or pioneer gold. Sometimes these books will not be borrowed more than once or twice a year, after being in constant demand for months.

Members of the A. N. A. frequently borrow books or catalogues written in German or Swedish but shy away from those in French, Spanish, even Italian, when the books contain many illustrations and would prove helpful in identifying coins. This puzzles us.

Wayte Raymond's work, "The silver Dollars of North and South America," is one of the most popular in the library, and calls to mind the fact that other works on Latin America are in demand much of the time. The work on dollars is R-35. Mr. Raymond's book, "Spanish American Gold Coins," is No. R-20; his "The Coins of South America," (Silver and Copper) is No. R-57. P-18, "Numismatic History of Mexico," by Dr. A. F. Pradeau, is popular with A. N. A. members, indicating an extensive interest in the coinage of our neighbor. G-8, "Catalogue of Latin American Coins," by Julius Guttag also is loaned very often. This work covers a wide field and is excellently illustrated. Although containing 500 pages, it weighs only four pounds when packed for mailing. The book rate any place in the nation is four cents for the first pound and three cents for each additional pound.

Judging by some of the requests for books we receive, many members lose their library lists or do not realize they have them. Last year, this list was bound with the membership directory, but the new one, planned for early 1946, will be bound separately as in the past. Members failing to receive them should write the general secretary. Additional copies cost $1.

While not entirely dealing with numismatics, "Valuable Extinct Securities," contains much that will be of interest to the numismatist. This book, by R. M. Smythe, has number S-36 in the library. In addition to lists of hundreds of securities which reportedly have some value, and which are listed alphabetically, the work has many other interesting chapters, several written in a light vein. The work was donated to the library by W. C. Sanders, New Haven dealer specializing in numismatic works.

NEWS AND COMMENTS

By H. W. HOLZER

Since we see where a fellow-enthusiast publishes a poem about the humble dime (and he even rhymes it with "fine"), it is probably in order to muse whatever happened to the new Roosevelt dime the Treasury promised for 1945 . . . by the way, the poem goes on to rhyme "proof" with "truth," and I hope the poet does not mind my saying he's got something there . . . we hear Professor Pink, curator of Roman coins at the Vienna Museum before the German Occupation, is well . . . the Vienna Numismatic Society is meeting again . . . and Austria has gone back to schillings and groschen again, replacing large sums of German and Allied money with new bills of 10, 20 and 100 schillings . . . the new schilling is valued at 10 cents . . . no coins have as yet been struck . . .

A bill to create a New York State Victory Medal for all New York veterans of World War II has been introduced in the Legislature by State Senator Halpern . . . 154,000 Hungarian pengoes are now worth one dollar, but back in 1941, the pengo was a silver coin worth 29 cents . . . sic transit gloria Hungariae . . . the yellow-seal dollar bills, which were originally destined as Spearhead Currency, and which are now circulating freely throughout the country, are worth 12 times the official mark rate in Berlin, whereas blue seal bills fetch 17 times as much . . .

Mr. Hammer's account of a screwball (that's a good word, don't worry!) writing unusual letters, always reminds us of the "collector" ordering coins of Herod the Great, the Queen of Sheba, and Julius Caesar, but half-dollar size, so they would fit his holders . . . David Smith, young sculptor from Decatur, Indiana, and one of the leaders of modernistic sculpture, is having a one-man show at two New York Galleries, Buchholz and Willard, at 32 East 57th Street . . . Mr. Smith, who has done some of the new decorations for the Chinese Government, is also known as a forceful medallist, and while modern in thought and design, he bases his plaques and medals on ancient coins . . .

Over at Station WABC, Script Editor Jack Hoins is the proud originator of a War Memento exhibit, neatly arranged with many prized medals and decorations as centers of attraction . . . did you know that a "meter" is a 25c piece, (also called a "ruff"), and a "nickel note" the Jive name for a five-dollar-bill? Well, you know now.

An avalanche of new "war" coins has shown up . . . perhaps the most unusual thing about them is that a few large silver coins were issued under German rule, even though that metal was very scarce . . . the Slovakian 50 koruny piece with Tiso's portrait, and the already noted 20 koruny, as well as a Rumanian 250 Lei piece of Michael are concrete proof that the Kremnitz silver mines were fairly prolific through the war years . . .

No. 4 of the Swiss pamphlet "Pleasures of Numismatics," a two-page book review, has come to hand . . . and we have been lucky in acquiring another "Limes Cast" for our collection . . . these rare cast bronze coins of the Roman Empire were manufactured by the troops stationed along the German border wall known as "limes," and constituted a kind of tolerated currency among them . . . for many years, museums used to literally throw the wretched things out . . . until Professor Kubitschek, and other Viennese scholars discovered their true meaning.

Newspaper Numismatics

The following item, lifted from the Newspaper PM, January 2, is reprinted for what it is worth:

"Drexel M. Truitt, 55, whose profile appears on the present 25-cent piece, died at Hollywood. His marked resemblance to the first President brought him from Maryland to Hollywood in 1927. He portrayed George Washington in many films before he retired in 1935."

NOTES AND QUERIES

Gen. MacArthur Garden Medal

In order to promote amateur gardening, 30,000 handsome bronze medals, as the one illustrated, have been awarded to school children throughout the nation.

The gardening contest, known as "The National Green Thumb Contest," was conducted by the National Victory Garden Institute, Inc., 598 Madison Ave., New York City.

In order to qualify for an award, the contestant had to plant and care for a school, community, or home Victory Garden. He or she must do enough of the work (at least 25% in a large garden, 50% or more in a small garden) to satisfy the local chairman or leader that the effort was genuine, and the result worthwhile. Contestants had to submit record books that had been signed by official local chairmen or accredited leaders who had visited the plot at least twice during the season.

The medal is struck in an attractively satin finished bronze and suspended by a green ribbon. The reverse is inscribed "FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN VICTORY GARDENING. NATIONAL VICTORY GARDENING INSTITUTE." It was manufactured by the B. B. Co., of Rochester, New York.

We are indebted to Harvey L. Hanson, A. N .A. #2415, for supplying the above information, and the medal, which he presented to the A. N. A. collection.

Of Interest to Microscopic Mint Mark Collectors

From Los Angeles, Bernard J. Maier writes that he has discovered two dimes of 1945 with a microscopic "s" as a mint mark. He says it is only half the size of the regular "S" mint mark and would like to know if the difference has been noticed by other coin experts.

Newspaper Numismatics—

Congress has passed a bill to restore the nickel to the nickel. The bill now goes to Senate and in the event it is passed we will again have 5-cent pieces containing 25 per cent nickel and 75 per cent copper.

The November issue of THE PATHFINDER carries a story on the Money Exhibit of the Chase National Bank of New York. It's well written and should do much to promote interest in numismatics.

According to the Chinese newspaper HSIN MIN PAO, China will soon introduce a new currency based on the "sun." This unit is being coined and will be put in circulation as soon as financial conditions in China return to normal.

The Association of British Chambers of Commerce has advocated a coinage reform along with the adoption of the metric system.

The Republic of Colombia will shortly reduce the silver content of its coins from 900 fine to 500 fine.

Numismatics Gets Publicity

A well written and beautifully illustrated article on coins appeared in a recent edition of "Tomorrow's Tools—Today," a magazine published quarterly by Lane-Wells Company, Los Angeles.

The author, G. R. Halliday of Hollywood, tells the story of the origin and development of coinage in a synoptic and interesting manner. A condensation of the article appeared later in "International Photographer."

Publicity such as Mr. Halliday gives coins and coin collecting should go a long ways towards promoting a better understanding of numismatics among potential collectors.

Cleans 'em With a Spud

A Connecticut collector recently told us of his method for removing the tarnish and spots from uncirculated Lincoln cents. Seems he pushes them into a raw potato and from there on the potato does the dirt removing. As we haven't tried this method, we can't guarantee the results, but at the worst you can always spend the cents and eat the spuds.

Builds Own Coin Cabinet

As fine a coin cabinet as we have ever seen was made last winter from a discarded radio cabinet by an eighteen year old boy. It stands about four feet high and has two banks of drawers, 24 on each side. The drawers he made from fruit crates. He even made his own individual coin boxes and they look as nice as anything you could buy. His collection, while not of great value, would make many an older collector turn green with envy. It is arranged in a neat systematic order, and consists mostly of inexpensive historical coins and coin types. So fixed is he in his purpose he had his U. S. small cents limited to five specimens; the flying eagle, two Indian heads, and two Lincolns. He is what you might call an "advanced young collector."

Not in B. M. C.!

Dear Editor:

Probably a senseless question, but what do cataloguers mean when they say a coin is "not in B. M. C.?"

R. T., Buffalo

Answer: Your question is not in the least senseless. B. M. C. stands for "British Museum Catalogue," a series of books published by the British Museum over the last 75 years. A coin not listed in the B. M. C. is not necessarily rare or even scarce. These catalogues were based principally on the collections of the British Museum and do not always include types and varieties that can be readily bought in the coin market today.

Camphor Will Keep Moths Away

Dear Editor:

How can I keep rolls from tarnishing? The silver nickels tarnish very easy. I packed some in my safe in tight tin cans. Will camphor keep tarnish away from any type of metal, if I store it with my coins? I think this a good question for The Numismatist. I never saw anything on the subject.

Very truly yours,

HOWARD L. HISTAND

Answer: Whether silver coins in rolls tarnish or not will depend upon the nature of the paper wrappers. If the paper wrappers contain a great deal of sulphur or certain other impurities, they will very rapidly tarnish the coin. This is especially true of paper made during war time. The only sure way of keeping rolls of coins tarnish-proof is to wrap them in tin foil. Tin foil is now appearing on some brands of tobacco, cigarettes, candy, etc. It makes a fine wrapper for coins. Flatten it out, wash it thoroughly, in both water and a solvent, cut it up in small squares and you have the finest anti-tarnish wrapper ever discovered. Unlike the "potato cleaner" we guarantee this system.

The use of camphor will not keep coins from tarnishing, but is very good to keep the moths away.

Answers in Brief—

Electrotypes of U. S. coins are counterfeits. There are no genuine silver dollars of 1805. Before attempting to import coins from any country in South America, it would be best to get advice from the Consulate. It is not possible to buy coins directly from the Denver or San Francisco mints. Show your "queer" $1 bill to the F. B. I. The Swiss franc is worth about 23 cents today. No premium on a holed dime of 1814. Have not the remotest idea how many ways a $10 bill can be changed. (We change ours at the delicatessen.

—Editor)

Inconsistencies Caused by Combining Old and New Dies

Dear Mr. Mosher:

Supplementing Mr. Spray's concise but comprehensive explanation (December, 1945, page 1338) of the varying number of stars on our early gold and silver coins, may I call attention to two conspicuous illustrations of the use of old dies? The first is a five dollar gold piece dated 1795 having fifteen stars on its obverse and sixteen on its reverse. What apparently happened was that in 1797 it was decided to replace the naturalistic eagle of 1795 and 1796 by a type of reverse which had originated the year before on the two dollar and a half piece. This was an heraldic eagle surmounted by stars, modeled on the great seal of the United States. Since Tennessee had been admitted the previous June, sixteen stars were correctly inserted here. This reverse die was obviously completed before the corresponding sixteen-star obverse. In order not to delay production, one or more old 1795 dies were pressed into service. In one issue the date was left as it was. In another the date, possibly on the same die, became "1797 over 95."

Another outstanding anomaly is the presence of fifteen stars on the obverse of a 1798 dollar, following sixteen the year before. The explanation is that it was not until this year that the silver coinage shifted from the naturalistic to the heraldic eagle. The attempt to keep up with the increasing number of states was at the same time abandoned. Obverse and reverse dies, each to have thirteen stars, were ordered. In this case the obverse was the first one to be completed, and was combined with an old naturalistic reverse until the new heraldic die was ready. But these came later, 1798 was a big year for silver dollars. The Mint report shows a coinage (or strictly speaking a net outgo) of over $300,000 as against $7,000 the year before. The authorities could not wait even for the new obverse. The earliest of the three issues of this year used, accordingly, a 1796 obverse die showing fifteen stars. The date was changed to 1798, so that, properly speaking, this variety could be described as "1798 over 96." The reason why the Standard Catalogue does not mention the overdate is that, unlike the change on the five dollar gold piece, of a "5" to a "7", a change from a "6" to an "8" can be so readily made as to defy detection.

The fifteen-star half dollar of 1796 was presumably issued in the early part of that year, the sixteen-star variety in the latter part. Fifteen stars on an issue dated 1797 are harder to explain. Unless an overdate can be detected, it may be that, as Mr. Spray suggests, the engraver simply made a mistake. Or again there was at one time much shenanigan in the Mint. Conceivably the piece was not struck in 1797 but many years later, in order to provide an additional date for coin collectors. Similarly as to a variety of the five dollar gold piece additional to those already discussed—a fifteen-star 1797 obverse, likewise without overdate, and likewise combined with a naturalistic eagle.

Stars were not placed upon our copper coins until 1808, and consequently always numbered thirteen. The new reverse designed this year replaced a pair of sprays, tied together at the bottom, by a wreath which also contained thirteen berries. In time, however, the number of berries ceased to have any symbolic significance. On the dime and half dime from 1837 till 1859, and on the large cent from 1843 till 1857, the wreath contained only twelve berries.

After the early issues noted by Mr. Guild, there were, I think, only two other instances of stars corresponding in number to the total number of states, old and new. In 1836, after the assured admission of Michigan (the process was not technically completed until January 26th of the following year) the Gobrecht coin dollar showed twenty-six stars in the field surrounding Titian Peale's flying eagle. Between 1907 and 1933 St. Gaudens' twenty dollar gold piece had on its reverse another flying eagle which resembled that of the Gobrecht pattern dollars of 1838 and 1839, and of the small cents of 1857 and 1858, in being on a plain field. The obverse border, however, was a circle of small stars presumably intended to represent the number of states. How accurate was the count can best be determined by eyes less subject to strain than mine.

Sincerely yours,

ALFRED Z. REED

NOTES OF THE TRADE

A public sale of some 1602 lots of coins, tokens, medals, and paper money was held on January 15th and 16th by the Tatham Stamp and Coin Company at Hotel Bond, Hartford, Conn.

One of the finest collections of United States gold coins ever offered for sale is that which the Numismatic Gallery dispersed on January 25th and 26th. It was almost complete in every series, lacking only a few of the great rarities.

The catalogue covering 1046 lots is a handsomely illustrated affair and will be a welcome addition to any collector's library. Price $1, which includes list of prices realized. De luxe copy, priced, and bound in half calf, $5.

Bert Koper of Winnipeg, Canada, is the author of a recent pamphlet describing "varieties" of Canadian 5 Cent tombac pieces of 1942. Some 24 pieces are described and illustrated, and Mr. Koper has invented a name for each "variety." Our favorite is No. 9 which is the "Baby Face Beaver," though we must admit a fondness for No. 8 which Mr. Koper designates as the "One Rear Toe Beaver."

The treatise is priced at 50 cents, and Bert's address is 377 Henderson Highway, Winnipeg.

Coin Price List No. 22 has been put out by Tatham Stamp & Coin Co., Springfield, Mass. It is devoted mostly to U. S. coins and lists them in various condition. Copy sent free on request.

A Mail Sale was held by Norman Shultz, Salt Lake City, Utah, on December 4th. Mr. Shultz reports that the 1297 lots attracted spirited bidding and that he now has another sale in preparation.

Two Price Lists, one on Foreign Gold and another on Minor Foreign Coins have been issued by Ben's Stamp & Coin Co., 72 W. Washington St., Chicago 2, Ill. Copies will be sent to interested collectors upon request.

Kenneth W. Lee reports the acquisition of a fine collection of British and other military decorations which he is now listing for sale. List will be sent without obligation. His address is 623 Security Bldg., Glendale 3, California.

Following are some of the results realized in the Mail Sale conducted by Messrs. Gans and Grunthal:

Egypt. Ptolemy II gold tetradrachm	$101.00
Chalcidian League. Silver tetradrachm	100.00
France. Set of 100, 50, 20, 10, 5 Francs in E. F.	200.00
Austria, 10 ducats 1656. E. F.	180.00
Rome. Pertinax aureus. Unc.	350.00
Rome. Diadumenianus, aureus. Superb	450.00
Maryland. Chalmers shilling. 1783. V. F.	37.50
Cont. Currency. Pewter dollar. 1776. E. F.	52.50
the same in V. F.	37.50
Gold dollar. 1850-C. E. F.	61.00
Silver dollar 1841. Imp. proof	42.50
Proof set 1936	45.50

The demand for books and catalogues was very active. A fine copy of the Pozzi catalogue sold for $27.50. Strangely enough, the complete set of the British Museum Catalogue remained unsold.

The Numismatic Gallery of New York has been awarded the privilege of conducting the Auction Sale at the next Annual Convention of the American Numismatic Association to be held in Davenport, Iowa.

This will be the first convention sale since 1941 when the Numismatic Gallery also conducted the Convention sale in Cincinnati.

Expose Celluloid to Air

If your paper money is housed in celluloid containers, expose the containers to the air once every so often. This helps prevent the celluloid from dissolving and ruining your notes. A considerable part of the collection formed by Colonel E. R. H. Green was damaged by a chemical change in the celluloid holders.

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12097 **Rocco M. Nittoli, M. D.,** 660 E. Jersey St., Elizabeth 4, N. J., U. S. coins, James M. Wade, A. B. Colburn.

12098 **Robert G. Derry,** 1318 19th St. N. W., Canton 3, Ohio, General, John S. Gallagher, James A. Kreiter.

12099 **H. Chester Lake,** 105 Gertrude St., Syracuse, N. Y., U. S. & foreign, Bernard W. Bluestone, Lewis M. Reagan.

12100 **The Numismatic Society of New South Wales,** O. C. Fleming, Secy., 32 Fraser St., Homebush N. S. W., Australia, J. Hunt Deacon, Lewis M. Reagan.

12101 **Archie Clifton Uglum,** Chester, Iowa, General, Ernest C. Schatz, Lewis M. Reagan.

12102 **E. Christensen,** 2966 Penobscot Bldg., Detroit 26, Mich., U. S. coins, Lawrence B. Welertes, Lewis M. Reagan.

12103 **Bill Borden,** 2405 Watson St., Houston 9, Texas, General, M. M. Schwartz, Louis Williams.

12104 **Jean C. Romani,** 4406 Parrish St., Philadelphia 4, Pa., U. S. & foreign, Pasquale D. Romani, Joseph Palestino.

12105 **Joseph G. Palestino,** 846 North 44th St., Philadelphia 4, Pa., U. S. & foreign, Pasquale D. Romani, Jean Romani.

12106 **Douglas Willington,** 108 East 86 St., New York 28, N. Y., U. S. small coins, William L. Clark, Lewis M. Reagan.

12107 **H. W. Breathitt,** 102 Harvard Dr., Spartanburg, S. C., U. S. coins, Garold W. Tapp, David H. Sloan.

12108 **William C. Atwater, Jr.,** 1250 6th Ave., RCA Bldg. West, New York 20, N. Y., General, Lewis M. Reagan, Max M. Schwartz.

12109 **Harold Harp,** 517 5th Ave. West, Tillamook, Ore., U. S. general, Lewis M. Reagan, Dr. P. B. Firth.

12110 **Ernest Stankovic,** 31-23 35th St., Long Island City 3, N. Y., General, Joseph Silverman, Lewis M. Reagan.

12111 **Stanley M. Morris,** First National Bank, Rochester, Minn., Lincoln head cents & nickels, R. A. Bezeier, Lewis M. Reagan.

12112 **Herbert J. Cutler,** 103 Wingate Ave., Buffalo 16, N. Y., U. S. coins, Jesse M. Taylor, Lewis M. Reagan.

12113 **Dr. John Stasulat,** 940 Coffman & Pico Rd., Rivera, Calif., Large gold coins, A. P. Gasser, Lewis M. Reagan.

12114 **Anthony Sepe,** 102 Old Oak Ave., Cranston 9, R. I., American coins, Stephen C. Lyon, Pasco Cianci.

12115 **B. Helen Heiler,** 1215 E. Michigan, Jackson, Michigan, General, O. N. Epperson, D. H. Gaskill.

12116 **Jewell A. Cook,** 608 W. 35th St., Kansas City 2, Mo., U. S. coins, M. Kennedy, Lewis M. Reagan.

12117 **Avery J. Pratt,** 356 Parker Ave., Buffalo, N. Y., U. S. coins, Jesse M. Taylor, Lewis M. Reagan.

12118 **Ernest L. Morgan,** Lyons, Georgia, U. S. silver & copper, J. J. Gonzales, Lewis M. Reagan.

12119 **Carleton Glasscock,** 713 North Broadway, Saint John, Kans., American coins, Elbert M. Whitwell, Lewis M. Reagan.

12120 **Gene Pierce,** 1112 S. W. Goodwin Ave., Pendleton, Ore., U. S. coins, R. A. Wilson, Lewis M. Reagan.

12121 **Walter B. Carpenter,** 1 Woodley Ave., Asheville, N. C., U. S. coins, Charles A. McLean, Lewis M. Reagan.

12122 **Edward L. Coman,** 26 Lake St., Wakefield, R. I., Cents, Horace M. Grant, Wilna B. Mackintosh.

12123 **Zonnar Abrams,** 608 Rugby Road, Brooklyn, N. Y., American coins, Joseph Silverman, Lewis M. Reagan.

12124 **Louis Gerard,** 604 West 10th St., Kansas City 6, Mo., General, H. E. Rowold, Chas. Stump.

12125 **Elwood W. Rauch,** 448 N. Hall St., Allentown, Pa., U. S. & foreign, Ernest A. Acker, Louis Matatics.

12126 **George W. Boehm,** 61 Broad St., Elizabeth 4, N. J., American coins, John J. Waters, Lewis M. Reagan.

12127 **Lee D. Cozatt,** 1916 West Oklahoma Ave., Enid, Okla., General, Lewis M. Reagan, C. R. Ross.

12128 **Samuel Levine,** 12 Edwin Place, Newark 8, N. J., U. S. coins, Lewis M. Reagan, Gloria M. Yancey.

12129 **William G. Wright,** 123 Freeport Ave., Freeport, N. Y., U. S. coins, Joseph Silverman, Lewis M. Reagan.

12130 **Alan F. Oberlin,** 4 Gessner Place, Hamden 14, Conn., Type collection, C. Victor Reemsnyder, Walter P. Johnson.

12131 **Paul E. Lawler, M. D.,** 9801 S. Damen Ave., Chicago 43, Ill., U. S. coins, Edmund Lamb, C. E. Green.

12132 **Ellwood K. Huhn,** 1645 Wilson Ave., Lancaster, Pa., U. S. coins & paper, Harold Mumma, Lewis M. Reagan.

12133 **James L. Murphy,** 1013 Grand St., Brooklyn 6, N. Y., General, Lewis M. Reagan, Joseph Silverman.

12134 **Arthur B. Bloch,** 1222 Wheeler Ave., New York 59, N. Y., American coins, Samuel Sobel, Lewis M. Reagan.

12135 **Douglas E. Williams,** 522 E. Valencia, Burbank, Calif., General, Kenneth W. Lee, David Wigder.

12136 **Jimmy Alexander,** 1542½ Cassil Place, Hollywood 28, Calif., Comm. half dollars, Ira S. Reed, Lt. Col. Joseph Moss.
12137 **Morris E. Mueller,** 2450 N. W. Blvd., Columbus, Ohio, General U. S., C. E. Higgy, H. R. Rodecker.
12138 **Anthony Kielbasa,** 132 Ashley Blvd., New Bedford, Mass., Foreign crowns, Lewis M. Reagan, Malcolm O. Chell-Frost.
12139 **J. S. Stevens,** 1137 Cleveland Ave., Park Hills, Covington, Ky., General, Sol Kaplan, George D. Parvin.
12140 **John F. Hoffman,** North Green St., Gen. Del., Brownsburg, Ind., U. S. coins, Kenneth W. Lee, Lewis M. Reagan.
12141 **Harry J. Orr,** P. O. Box 266, Ashland, Ky., Comm. Gold & U. S. gold and silver, David Simons, Lewis M. Reagan.
12142 **Gordon L. Macdonald,** Old Armory, Ohio State Univ., Columbus 10, Ohio, U. S. cents, nickels and freaks of same, H. R. Rodecker, C. E. Higgy.
12143 **Neville L. Brugh,** Nace, Virginia, U. S. coins and fractional currency, W. O. White, Lewis M. Reagan.
12144 **Charles A. Zinn,** State Theatre, 8th & Hennepin, Minneapolis 3, Minn., Large cents, Comm. Halves, Types of U. S. cents., Lewis M. Reagan, Dr. Dwight E. Ward.
12145 **Edward John Statula,** 24 Edward St., Waterbury, Conn., U. S. coins, Frank J. Katen, Philip Rippner.
12146 **H. L. Randall,** 461 Sherburne Ave., St. Paul 3, Minn., General, Clarence J. Gott, Neil S. Utberg.
12147 **Robert P. Moss,** Lula, Miss., Old American coins, Ralph Williams, Luther Birdsong.
12148 **Nicholas C. Weisshardt,** 1310 83rd St., North Bergen, N. J., U. S. coins, John Kopp, Louis Gloor.
12149 **Cpl. Jack Weiss,** 3787 QM Truck Co., Camp Stoneman, Calif., U. S. coins, Irving M. Roth, Lewis M. Reagan.
12150 **PFC Edward Hamm, Jr.,** 641 Terrace Ave., Fresno 4, Calif., Small denomination U. S. coins, Indian cents, Liberty head nickels, R. A. Wilson, Bruno H. Crossfield.
12151 **Taft Chapman,** 333 Euclid Ave., Akron, Ohio, General, Joseph Silverman, Lewis M. Reagan.
12152 **Dr. John E. Davis,** 1315 McGowan, Little Rock, Ark., Commemoratives, Lewis M. Reagan, E. Carroll Shelton.
12153 **Walter B. English,** Box 67, Fairmount, Ill., U. S. coins, P. L. Donison, Hazel M. Howard.
12154 **Carl A. Thulstrup,** 37 East 3rd St., Brooklyn 18, N. Y., U. S. & foreign, Max M. Schwartz, Lewis M. Reagan.
12155 **John L. Meek,** 765 McDonough Blvd. S. E., Atlanta, Ga., General, J. J. Gonzales, Lewis M. Reagan.
12156 **Louis Goodman,** 210 W. 7th St., Rm. 332, Los Angeles 14, Calif., General, Lewis M. Reagan, Kenneth Lee.
J-12157 **Frank S. Deming,** Rodney Hall, Univ. of Penn., Philadelphia, Pa., Small Coins, R. O. Deming, Lewis M. Reagan.
12158 **Dr. Rickartter Toro Asencio,** Box 213, Cabo Rojo, Puerto Rico, Medals, U. S. coins, banknotes & foreign coins, Mariano A. Gonzalez, Lewis M. Reagan.
12159 **Edward I. Anfindsen,** 45 Cobane Terrace, West Orange, N. J., General, Joseph Silverman, Lewis M. Reagan.
12160 **Edmond J. Bowman,** 70 Exchange St., Geneva, N. Y., U. S. silver & copper, W. O. White, Lewis M. Reagan.
12161 **I. E. Chadwick,** 738 Irolo St., Los Angeles 5, Calif., U. S. coins, Lewis M. Reagan, Kenneth W. Lee.
12162 **Carl C. Helt,** 148 S. Main St., Hughesville, Pa., U. S. coins, Lewis M. Reagan, Arthur Sipe.
12163 **Amos Parks,** 3127 Brantner Pl., St. Louis 6, Mo., Large cents, silver dollars, Lewis M. Reagan, Arthur B. Kelley.
12164 **Rev. Philip Gordon Scott,** 583 Whitney Ave., New Haven 11, Conn., U. S. General, Frank J. Katen, Lewis M. Reagan.
12165 **Forrest W. Dickman,** 712 Claremont Ave., Ashland, Ohio, U. S. coins, L. M. Thomas, Arthur D. Hiner, George W. Brock.
12166 **R. A. Merer,** 1838 E. 75th St., Cleveland 3, Ohio, General, Harley Freeman, Ambrose P. Spencer.
12167 **J. Norman Acoff,** Box 194, Encino, Calif., General, R. A. Wilson, Lewis M. Reagan.
12168 **Harold Clayton,** Box 4136, Jacksonville, Fla., General, L. E. Rohrer, Lewis M. Reagan.
12169 **C. E. Troyer,** R. R. 1, La Fontaine, Ind., Dollar size silver, Half dollars & gold, Lewis M. Reagan, Paul Weiger.
12170 **Clarence Camp, II,** P. O. Box 608, Ocala, Fla., U. S. coins, J. H. Dunn, Lewis M. Reagan.
12171 **Harold C. Rushmore,** Harper St., Stamford, N. Y., U. S. coins in general, J. M. Taylor, Lewis M. Reagan.
12172 **Walter Clarence Dodge,** 312 Morris Ave., Providence 6, R. I., U. S. coins, Malcolm Chell-Frost, Lewis M. Reagan.
12173 **P. H. Gwaltney,** 3507 Main St., Anderson, Ind., U. S. copper, nickel, and silver coins, Paul Weiger, Lewis M. Reagan.
12174 **Mrs. Caroline Iverson,** RFD #2, Lamberton, Minn., General, R. A. Wilson, Lewis M. Reagan.
12175 **Arthur G. Van Briggle,** R. D. #2, Morgan Rd., Bridgeville, Pa., General, John F. Wagner, Joseph G. Miscorey.
12176 **Forrest C. Nease,** 618 E. Washington, Lebanon, Ind., U. S. coins, odd & curious, Homer C. Kells, Lewis M. Reagan.
12177 **John Young,** 91 Main St., Robertsdale, Pa., American coins, W. J. Young, Lewis M. Reagan.
12178 **Richard Notvest,** 8705 Charlton Lane, St. Louis 23, Mo., General, Arthur B. Kelley.

12179 **Milton P. Lohr,** 328 E. Walnut St., Lodi, Calif., U. S. coins, Edward Fogler, E. W. Lohr, John E. Lenker.
12180 **William James Fulton,** 307 Valencia St., Apt. 207, San Francisco 3, Calif., U. S. General, Half dollars, Edward Fogler, John E. Lenker, Bruno H. Crossfield.
12181 **E. H. Warner,** 706 Southern Surety Bldg., Des Moines 9, Iowa, American Coins, Loyd B. Gettys, Lewis M. Reagan.
12182 **James W. Savage,** Box 41, Jansen, Colo., General, Walter Bohler, Lewis M. Reagan.
12183 **Mark D. Stamps,** Box 474, Havelock, N. C., U. S. coins, C. A. Bolt, Lewis M. Reagan.
J-12184 **Charles D. Lewis,** 3 Hollenden Place, Pittsburgh 17, Pa., Foreign coins, Jerome H. Lett, Lewis M. Reagan.
12185 **Leon I. Bowman,** 506½ So. Gorham, Jackson, Mich., Pennies & oddities, Lucile M. Bowman, Lewis M. Reagan.
12186 **Bernard J. Maier,** 3727 West 59th Place, Los Angeles 43, Calif., U. S. coins, Adolph Larson Jr., Thomas W. Nielsen.
12187 **Mrs. Chester Jobst,** 501 S. Clifton Ave., Park Ridge, Ill., General, Chester A. Jobst, Lewis M. Reagan.
12188 **Francis E. Lowe,** 3552 East 6th St., Los Angeles 23, Calif., General, R. A. Wilson, Lewis M. Reagan.
12189 **Charles E. Tuckwood,** 818 E. Fuller St., Philadelphia 11, Pa., Ancient coins, U. S. coins, Arthur Sipe, Ira S. Reed.
12190 **James H. Russell,** 429½ S. Birth St., Santa Ana, Calif., U. S. small cents, A. J. Gowman, Lewis M. Reagan.
12191 **Walter C. Helveston,** c/o Hancock Bank, Gulfport, Miss., General, Dr. Kermit Chadwick, Lewis M. Reagan.
12192 **Vance A. Neilsen,** 112 West 22nd St., Kearney, Nebr., U. S. coins, John A. Henry, Margaret Moore, Bonnie Snyder.
12193 **William S. Miller,** 715 West 26th St., Kearney, Nebr., U. S. coins, John A. Henry, Margaret E. Moore, Bonnie Snyder.
12194 **Mrs. Ettore R. Chippa,** 382 S. Braeside Ave., E. Stroudsburg, Pa., U. S. small cents, Ettore R. Chiappa. Associate Membership.
12195 **Edgar Klingler,** 1436 Hogan St., St. Louis 6, Mo., U. S. coins, Elmer Wessler, L. Koessel.
12196 **Arthur T. Sandberg,** 173 West 15th St., Chicago Heights, Ill., Buffalo nickels, Charles Lee Clayton, Lewis M. Reagan.
12197 **Jack A. Mathers,** 215 T St., Aurora, Ill., U. S. & foreign, Paul Ginther, Lewis M. Reagan.
12198 **John M. Roberts,** 439 Taylor St., Farmington, Mo., U. S. coins, C. S. Fitz, Herbert Boxdorfer.
12199 **Mark D. Butler,** P. O. Drawer 2038, Pittsburgh 30, Pa., U. S. coins, Arthur Sipe, Lewis M. Reagan.
12200 **Joseph Deschene,** 202 Woodtick Rd., Waterbury 67, Conn., General, C. G. Granoth, Lewis M. Reagan.
12201 **Gerard A. Boer,** 421 E. Central Ave., Zeeland, Mich., Large & small cents, Kenneth W. Lee, Lewis M. Reagan.
12202 **Lloyd L. Dowell, M. D.,** Box 297, Grove City, Ohio, Foreign coins and commemoratives, H. R. Rodecker, C. E. Higgy.
12203 **Douglas S. Bolitho,** P. O. Box 925, Spokane 4, Wash., China, Britain, France and their colonies, S. M. Koeppel, Lewis M. Reagan.

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Deaths

William Jerrems, Jr., Kansas City, Mo. Honorary Member and First President of the Association.
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8371 Geo. A. Powers, 2222 West 14th St., Los Angeles 6, Calif.
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11876 Edward V. Root, 100 Church St., Beverly, N. J.
11087 Lt. Col. N. P. Ruditsky, 3341 Reservoir Oval, New York 67, N. Y.
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9349 Floyd D. Shockley, 38½ N. Penna. St., R. 305, Indianapolis 4, Ind.
4348 Jack Showell, 352 E. Palm Lane, Phoenix, Ariz.
11436 Albert T. Shriver, 240 Datil Dr., Albuquerque, N. M.
7583 Lt. Dennis W. Sibert, APO 4287, c/o PM, New York, N. Y.
9972 Andrew H. Silvola, 4856 Euclid St., East Chicago, Indiana
8699 Paul B. Slosson, 1928 Cedar Lake Blvd., Minneapolis 5, Minn.
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4710 Harry B. Solmson, RFD 5, Park Ave., Memphis, Tenn.
11206 Howard G. Spore, 1243 South Washington, Wichita 12, Kans.
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10287 Amos R. Sweet, Gordonsville, Va.
7782 S/Sgt. Frank Sternberg, GMDS, Camp Ritchie, Md.
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9553 J. O. Townsend, 50 Water St., Logan, W. Va.
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11832 Corp. Irving Treuman, Co. A Training Group, T. A. S., Fort Knox, Ky.
6081 Garrett W. Van Vorst, 582 Sketch Place, Ridgefield, N. J.
7539 O. B. Vikre, P. O. Box 38, Wilmot, N. H.
5282 Dr. Dwight E. Ward, 521 New York Bldg., St. Paul 1, Minn.
8612 Mrs. Agnes M. Watson, 1037 N. 13th St., Manitowoc, Wisc.
11767 Forrest E. Webb, Ens. USN, Navy #100, FPO, New York, N. Y.
11739 Howard Whiteman, 18 South 51 St., Philadelphia 39, Pa.
6804 Lorne R. Wilson, Box 153, Delhi, Ont., Canada.
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11445 Maj. Charles R. Wright, Jr., APO 4299, San Francisco, Calif.
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OBITUARIES

WILLIAM G. JERREMS, JR., A. N. A. No. 3

William G. Jerrems, Jr., First President of the A. N. A., and one of the few select Honorary Members of the A. N. A., died on Sunday, December 16, 1945, at his home in Kansas City, Mo., following a long illness. He had reached the age of 76. He is survived by his wife, two daughters, two sons, and two sisters.

Mr. Jerrems came to Kansas City in 1917 from Chicago and was head of a tailoring business for many years, retiring in 1930.

Besides numismatic associations, Mr. Jerrems maintained membership in the Union League Club and the Carleton Club of Chicago. He was a charter member of the latter.

Numismatists will always remember Mr. Jerrems because he was the First President of the American Numismatic Association and one of its organizers. It was in 1891 that Dr. Heath issued a call for a meeting and then came to Chicago to organize the A. N. A. Six men. Heath, Harlow, Tatman, Dryden, Heckleman, and Jerrems attended and it was through their efforts that our marvelous organization of today came into being. Mr. Jerrems was also instrumental in organizing the old Chicago Numismatic Society, around 1906.

On August 18th, 1934, he was given an Honorary Membership in the A. N. A., his being the 7th such honor conferred. He was given a finely executed and handsomely engraved, framed Resolution signed by the seven living past-presidents of the A. N. A.

He also held Honorary Memberships in the Heart of America Numismatic Association and was very proud of the fact that he was elected an Honorary

Member of the New York Numismatic Club on the same night as was the King of Italy.

At one time Mr. Jerrems owned over 4000 Roman and over 1600 Greek coins, not to mention a collection of over 9000 copper coins. He sold one section of about 2000 Roman coins, dating from 286 A. D. to 476 A. D., intact to the Saint Louis Museum, and his collection of 9000 copper coins went intact to Mr. Brand.

He was considered one of the outstanding authorities on ancient coins and could attribute almost any ancient coin immediately. While he disposed of all of his coins and his very large library, Mr. Jerrems never lost his love and interest for coins and he enjoyed nothing more than to have collectors visit with him and talk about coins. Having known so many of the "old-timers," such as Low, Browne, the two Chapmans, Frossard, Elder, Dunham, Byron Reed and many, many others, it always made interesting listening hearing him talk about them and the old days.

Mr. Jerrems contributed much to numismatics and wrote many articles for The Numismatist and his passing will be felt by the many friends he made through the years.

ARTHUR W. FECHT, L. M. No. 38

Arthur W. Fecht, A. N. A.# 4410 and Life Member #38, died on Wednesday afternoon, December 12, at Bethany Hospital, Kansas City, Kansas, at the age of 54.

Mr. Fecht was born in Wyandotte County, Kansas, but spent many years in Texas, returning to Kansas when World War II began. He was a geophysicist associated with the McCullen Exploration Co., and traveled extensively in the U. S. and South America conducting oil exploration work.

He is survived by two sisters. He was a member of the Heart of America Numismatic Association, as well as several othr coin clubs in the U. S. He was a member of the A. F. and A. M.; the Knights Templar, Scottish Rite, Mendias chapter No. I of the Order of Eastern Star, the Wyandotte Camera Club and numerous professional organizations.

Mr. Fecht was an enthusiastic collector, wrote several articles for The Numismatist and always made very interesting talks at coin meetings. He owned a very large and valuable collection of coins, outstanding among them being the excessively rare Saint Gaudens double eagle in very high relief.

His passing will be felt by his many, many collector and professional friends everywhere.

N. B. One of the surviving sisters followed him in death thirteen days later, on Christmas Day.

CHARLES T. TATMAN, A. N. A. No. 2

On December 23, Charles T. Tatman, one of the founders of the A. N. A., died in Memorial Hospital, Worcester, Mass. He was 74 years of age. Mr. Tatman is survived by his wife, the former Anna C. Svedberg, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Prior.

Born in Worcester, December 16, 1871, he became interested in numismatics in his early youth. At the age of 20 he was conducting a coin column in a monthly magazine called "Plain Talk," then published in New York City. In 1891 he collaborated with Dr. George F. Heath, and others, in the formation of the American Numismatic Association. He was the first Secretary of the Association and held membership No. 2, which he cherished until the end.

In 1894 Mr. Tatman graduated from Harvard Law School, was admitted to the Bar, and began the practice of law in which he was highly successful for half a century.

He belonged to many clubs and societies including the American Numismatic Society, and the American Antiquarian Society.

Aside from his interest in numismatics, he had a deep attachment to France, its people and their culture. Accompanied by his wife, he visited that country eight times. The French Republic awarded him the decoration entitled "Officer d' Academie." Mrs. Tatman holds three French decorations, including the "Legion d' Honneur."

Mr. Tatman's coin collection, which was a general one, was sold several months prior to his death.

ALASTAIR B. (AL) GRANT, A. N. A. No. 8530

Al Grant, A. N. A. 8530, 47 years old, died at his home, 1224 W. 72nd Street Terrace, Kansas City, Mo., on Thursday, January 3rd, 1946, after a prolonged illness. He is survived by his wife, two daughters, a sister and a brother.

He was industrial sales manager of the Burlington Manufacturing Co. From 1925 to 1934 he had been western representative for the Kroyden Golf Company, Maplewood, N. J.

He was a member, a Past President and past secretary of the Heart of America Numismatic Association and was well liked by his fellow members, and his many friends. He was a member of St. Elizabeth's Catholic church.

Mr. Grant was always enthusiastic about his collecting but his pride and joy always was, his perfect set of Proof cents, which included several sand-blast proofs.

Always having been a willing worker, his passing was a great blow to the H. A. N. A.

REPORTS OF CLUB MEETINGS

SECRETARIES PLEASE NOTE: Reports should be made promptly. Copy must be received by the 10th of the month to insure insertion in the following month's issue. As a usual thing a copy of the minutes is sent in, and almost invariably a number of items of local concern only must be cancelled. The justification for publishing these accounts lies in the numismatic information—and encouragement—to be derived by collectors generally, regardless of location. On this basis we feel it advisable to revise and condense, and, incidentally, the by-product of this course is conservation of valuable space.

ATLANTA COIN CLUB—The 325th meeting was held Wednesday, January 2, at the Henry Grody Hotel, at 8 P. M. President T. H. Landgraf was absent due to illness and Vice President Edwin Harrison presided. There were three visitors and 16 members present.

Exhibitions were as follows:

W. B. Johns: A German wound medal, Australian crown, and an uncirculated set of the coins of Edward VIII.

George Walton: An early set of uncirculated $1, $5, and $10 gold pieces.

J. J. Gonzales: An interesting collection of German silver coins, many of them in proof condition.

Mr. Gonzales invited all new club members to apply for membership in the A. N. A.

—H. H. JOYNER, Secretary

BAY CITIES COIN CLUB—The twenty-first monthly meeting of the Bay Cities Coin Club was held in the Santa Monica Commercial and Savings Bank, Santa Monica, Wednesday, Dec. 12, with President O. K. Grier presiding. There were eighteen members and two visitors present.

The nominating committee submitted the following names for officers for the year 1946 and they were unanimously elected:

H. L. Canann, president; W. L. Gunn, vice president; D. E. Hanna, secretary; H. S. Davidson, treasurer.

Henry Chambers exhibited a type set of Commemorative half dollars also a very fine set of 2½ dollars gold.

The highlight of the meeting was a talk on large cents by W. L. Gunn. He covered the subject thoroughly from the establishment of the Philadelphia Mint in 1792, the primitive methods used, the first Act of Congress setting the values and designs, the disapproval of the public, changing of designs and the difficulty the mint had in operating which probably accounts for the many rarities. These rarities were covered in detail by Mr. Gunn and the talk was exceedingly interesting and informative and evidenced a great deal of work and research. The talk is being transcribed and made a permanent part of the club's records.

—H. S. DAVIDSON, Secretary

BIRMINGHAM COIN CLUB—The 11th monthly meeting held December 18, 8:00 p. m., in the Auditorium of the White Dairy Co., 621 So. 27th St., Birmingham, Alabama, with 12 members and three visitors present.

The Auditorium was beautifully decorated in Christmas appointments, including a Christmas tree furnished by the White Dairy Co., making a lovely setting for our December meeting. A large part of the evening was spent discussing plans for the coming election of officers at the January meeting and the annual banquet to be held in February. It was decided to have the banquet at the Molton Hotel and install the new officers that evening. Complete arrangements are to be made by M. H. Cole and his committee and report at the January meeting.

O. B. Hudson donated an uncirculated 1863 C. N. cent for the first attendance prize, which was won by M. P. "Lucky" Smull.

J. H. Morris, Jr. donated a 1932 Washington quarter in about uncirculated condition for the second attendance prize, which was won by Marvin Acton.

Mrs. J. H. Morris, Jr. ran an "ad" in the December issue of the "Numismatist" asking for donations of books for the club library.

Today the club has received the following books:

Heath's "Infallible Counterfeit Detector At Sight," donated by W. R. Springer, A. N. A. 9992 of Oskaloosa, Iowa.

Blake's "United States Paper Money," donated by Geo. H. Blake—Author.

Mrs. Morris was given a large applause of thanks for her noteworthy act and the club more than appreciates receiving these books for its library.

O. B. Hudson gave a wonderful talk on all issues of United States quarters.

Displays:

1—Type Set of Uncirculated Quarters from 1796 through the Washington issue by J. H. Morris, Jr.

2—Complete sets of Uncirculated Washington Quarters by Messrs. M. P. Smull and M. H. Cole.

Coins and Bills of Korea by O. L. Hurtt.

1—1792 Washington President Cent—Roman Head in very good condition—rare. Also several old Roman coins—by H. O. Ames.

After the meeting, the program committee, through Mr. A. H. Mergenthaler, presented the feature event of the evening by serving fruit cake, nuts and wine, which was enjoyed very much.

—H. O. AMES, Secretary

BRONX COIN CLUB—The December meeting was held on the 26th, at the Concourse Plaza Hotel. President Kortjohn presided. The following thirteen members were present: Messrs. Bullowa, Clark, Downing, Gallo, Gans, Grunthal, Kortjohn, Reagan, Seeman, Sghia, Steinberg, van der Meer and Wagner. Mr. Bernard Miller was present as guest.

Parts of a letter from an A. N. A. member in Puerto Rico were read by Mr. Steinberg, who suggested that Mariano Augusto Gonzales be considered as a District Secretary for that island. There was further discussion as to a District Secretary for New York or an assistant District Secretary for the Bronx. Several names were suggested but the members declined the nomination. No recommendation was made for this reason. There was further discussion on the subject of the reading matter in The Numismatist. Reasons for the reduced reading matter were explained by Messrs. Kortjohn and Reagan.

The reports of the treasurer, vice-president and president were given and were followed by the report of the nominating committee. Additional nominations were requested, but when none were forthcoming, a motion was made that the nominations be closed and that one ballot be cast for all nominees. The motion was seconded and carried and the following officers were declared elected:

President, William L. Clark; vice president, Louis Engel; secretary, Martin F. Kortjohn; treasurer, Homer K. Downing; librarian and curator, William S. Dewey; Honorary Members of the Board of Governors: Otto T. Sghia, Harry J. Stein; Board of Governors: J. Stanley Seeman, William Steinberg, Joseph Wagner, Louis S. Werner.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Bullowa: 50 kronen of Slovakia commemorating the fifth year of Tiszo in 1944; 10 kronen commemorating 1861 church cornerstone anniversary; 500 lei of Romania dated 1944; new series of Vatican City of Pius XII dated 1942 in case; U. S. half dime of 1800 of Liberty variety; 5 tael sycee ingot of China; Italian Order of the Crown, miniature plaque, cross, and lapel button in original cases.

Mr. Clark: Forty coins of Turkey issued during the last hundred years.

Mr. Downing: Large cents of 1794, 1796, 1797, 1798, 1800, 1802, 1803 and 1847, all recently acquired.

Mr. Gallo: 14 thalers and double thalers of Tyrol with two specimens of the three emperors thaler of Rudolph II dated 1590; 14 crowns of Tuscany from 1574 to 1856.

Mr. Gans: Ancient coins of Tarentum, Tarsus, Tauromenium, Terina, Thasos, Thebes, Thessalonica, Tudor and Tyro, all in fine state of preservation.

Mr. Grunthal: Enameled quarter dollar of Hawaii dated 1883.

Mr. Kortjohn: Various half dollars from 1815 to 1865, including AW 68 and 72; coins of Tunis, Tuscany and Turkey, and half thaler of Tyrol dated 1484.

Mr. Reagan: Collection of Roman denarii of the republic and the early empire; collection of modern Chinese currency.

Mr. Seeman: 46 half dollars from 1815 to 1865.

Mr. Sghia: Crowns of Tarragona, Teutonic Order, Thorn, Tournay, Transylvania, Trantson, Treves, Trier, Turkey, Tuscany and Tyrol.

Mr. Steinberg: Dollar sized coins and tokens of Puerto Rico, Sweden, Transylvania, and Tyrol; ten cent prisoner of war camp canteen ticket from Fort Dix.

Mr. Wagner: Turkish medals: Commander and Officer of Order of Medschidije, officer of Gallipoli Star, Imtiaz medal, second class; Tunisian medals: commander and chevalier of Order of Nichan Iftikhar.

Topics for the January meeting will be the U. S. half dollars from 1866 to 1892, coins medals and tokens of countries beginning with the letters U and V, except the United States, decorations beginning with the letter T, ancient coins under the letter V.

—MARTIN F. KORTJOHN, Secretary

BROOKLYN COIN CLUB—The 150th regular meting was held on December 5th, at Gherry's Restaurant, 174 Montague Street, Brooklyn, N. Y. with President Knoth in the chair. Mr. Lewis M. Reagan acted as secretary in the absence of Secretary Hegarty.

There were eighteen members and four guests present. The topics for the evening were Religious Items, Zachary Taylor, U. S. Trade Dollars and Coins of Tiberius. The Officers read their annual reports. The slate of officers nominated by the Nominating Committee were unanimously elected. These officers are: President, Nat. E. Heft; Joseph Silverman, Vice president; John J. Hegarty, Jr., Secretary; Joseph Coffin, Treasurer; Morris Klaif, Librarian; Charles N. Schmall and Cecil H. Ryan, members of the Executive Committee.

A letter was read from A. N. A. Librarian Mr. Ted Hammer about the extended use of the Library to clubs. The idea met with approval. A vote of thanks was unanimously given to Nat. E. Heft for his generosity in distributing to each member present a copy of "Insigna and Decorations of the United States Armed Forces." Mr. Reagan informed the club that a bill was pending in Congress to resume the striking of gold coins. Mr. Schwartz moved that the club go on record as endorsing the resumption of gold coins and that appropriate notice be forwarded to such officers of Congress as it may be advised. Motion seconded and unanimously passed.

After all present had described their exhibits a recess was called for the inspection of exhibits.

The following exhibits were made:

Mr. Blake: Medal of Major Andre, Rev. showing church in Tappan where he was tried.

Mr. Coffin; Papal coins.

Mr. Eill: 1879 to 1942 Half dollar proofs.

Mr. Heft: Papal medals.

Mr. Hollander: Taylor items; copper medal of John Wyclif 1360.

Mr. Kimpfler: Two coins of Caesar Augustus.

Mr. Klaif: Medals of Zachary Taylor.

Mr. Knoth: Medals in copper and white metal showing the Centennial fountain in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia. Small bronze of Constantine I.

Mr. Kortjohn: Silver half pound of England, English farthing dated 1671.

Mr. Kosoff: Collection of patterns; $50 gold

1877; gold set of 1855 in aluminum and gold set of 1871 in copper; 1863 L cent and 1864L in copper nickel and pure copper.

Mr. Kraus: 1944 set of Ethiopia, and foreign paper money.

Mr. Maley: U. S. paper money and patterns.

Mr. Reagan: Modern currency of China.

Mr. Schwartz: Collection of 22 pieces showing bust of Zachary Taylor.

Mr. Silverman: 1942 over 41 dime.

Mr. Steinberg: Pattern dollars of Germany, Barvaria, Hondura, and Greece.

Mr. Susskind: Coins of the Papal States; Copper medals pertaining to church dignitaries.

Mr. Wishy: Coins of the Holy Roman Empire.

—JOHN J. HEGARTY, JR., Secretary

CANTON COIN CLUB—The 118th meeting was held Tuesday, December 12 at 8 P. M. at the Y. M. C. A., C. I. Bolus presiding. Eight members and three guests were present.

Edwin Johnson, president of the Wooster Stamp and Coin Cluo gave a short history of that organization and Wiley Miller, a member of the Wooster club as well as the Canton Club, now residing in Wooster, talked briefly on his numismatic experiences since last attending a Canton meeting.

Officers elected for 1946 were as follows: President, Paul Blank; vice pres., Henry Pfau; secretary-treasurer, R. M. Teis.

Displays: Walter Welch, Wm. G. Bruce and Edwin Johnson.

—C. T. BOLUS, Acting Secretary

CHICAGO COIN CLUB—The 323rd meeting of the Chicago Coin Club was held January 2nd, at the La Salle Hotel. President Earl Barger presiding, 49 members and guests were in attendance.

Mrs. Frances Davis installed the officers for the year of 1946. Reports of the various officers and committees were read and approved.

The Club welcomed the return from Military Service of Harry X. Boosel.

Gus Lind reported that thieves had broken into his apartment and stolen approximately 600 foreign coins, some of which will be extremely difficult to replace.

Our good member, Dr. Reich, has been confined to the hospital due to having fallen on slippery sidewalk and fractured an ankle.

Mr. Powills presented the exhibits:

Exhibits:

Mr. Bebee: Panama Pacific gold set in case; complete set of types commemorative halves; complete set commemorative gold.

Mr. Boosel: Large collection of current European coins and paper money, including accumulation of coins and medals liberated from Germany.

F. Saab: Ancient coins of Greece, Roman and Byzantine gold and silver; 1799 half eagle unc..; 1871 five cent shield proof; 1804 U. S. dime very fine.

R. Cahall: Tokens bearing inscription "good for"; Brazilian patterns; 1945 Canadian dollar.

P. Pennington: Roman serrated denarii.

F. A. Clarke: National Convention American Legion Badges from eight cities; Illinois American Legion badges from 6 cities.

C. Lindall: Chicago Numismatic Society Meeting notice to members in 1906 by Secretary at that time, Ben Green.

—G. R. OSTRANDER, Sec'y-Treas.

DAVENPORT NUMISMATIC CLUB—The regular monthly meeting was held Tuesday, December 12, at The Lend A Hand Club with an attendance of nine members and two visitors. Due to the absence of the president, Dr. J. R. Schneider, J. R. Huckins, vice president, had charge of the meeting.

Each member was to give a short talk on their exhibit. Mr. Huckins displayed a beautiful Bryan dollar and told the members the history of this coin.

Dr. Sherrard displayed two proof sets, 1890 and 1891 with the Morgan dollar. Also a complete set of Indian $2.50 gold coins, an incomplete set of Commemorative gold coins and five dollar gold coins. Each one of his exhibits were in plastic holders.

Lester Wright, Secretary of the I. N. A. displayed a complete set of I. N. A. Medals, 8 in all, and explained that the I. N. A. was organized in 1938 with 50 charter members. He said the Spring Convention would be held in Des Moines May 24, 25, 26, 1946 at the Hotel Ft. Des Moines and that they were planning their program now.

Miss Long displayed S and R dollar bills and told the Club about them.

Following the talks, Mr. McMeen conducted a written coin quiz and that was enjoyed very much.

The next meeting will be exchange night and all members are to bring duplicate coins and other members can buy or trade coins for them.

—VERA C. WILLIAMS, Secretary

DES MOINES COIN CLUB—The Des Moines Coin Club met at the Y. M. C. A. Jan. 4th for the 109th meeting of the club.

An election of officers was held at the Dec. meeting and were installed at the January meeting. Lewis K. "Fergy" Ferguson, a returned veteran of 42 months overseas acted as installing officer. The new officers for the coming year are:

Chas. I. Altman, President; Howard Smith, 1st Vice; Milt. J. Gilman, 2nd Vice; Hellene Bohler, Secretary; V. W. Slaughter, Treasurer; Duane Whitford, Sgt. at Arms.

Ferguson gave a talk on coins and life in general in Korea, showing as his display Boat money; Sword; Razor Key Money and Chinese coins in general.

Plans for the I. N. A. convention to be held in Des Moines May 24th, 25th, and 26th were discussed. The Convention committee appointed are as follows. M. A. Radke; Hellene Bohler; E. L. Patera; James Wyman; A. R. Goodman and Charles Altman.

—HELLENE BOHLER, Secretary

GREELEY COIN CLUB—The second annual meeting was held at Angell's Tea Room, January 7th. President C. G. Klein presiding. Thirty-two members and guests attended.

The feature talk of the evening was made by Mr. J. V. Barton, who gave a very interesting discussion on common dates of some of our coins as related to outstanding events in our history. His comments ably demonstrated the fact that many important events in the nations history may be recalled by dates on comparatively common coins possessed by most collectors.

The club was indeed fortunate in having two gold cents among the coins on display. One was the 1900 Indian head cent in gold, the other piece being an 1861 Confederate cent of gold in proof condition. Also on display a pattern dollar of 1879, the Lesher dollar, and an outstanding collection of old silver medals.

The guest prizes for the ladies and gentlemen were two Cleveland half dollars in plastic holders. An auction was held at the close of the meeting. Officers for the ensuing year will be: C. G. Klein, President; John Handy, Vice-President; and Mrs. Joe Springston, Secretary-Treasurer.

—JOHN C. HANDY, Sec'y-Treas.

HEART OF AMERICA NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—Through the courtesy of our mighty hunters, Lloyd St. Clair and Billy Knapp, thirty-three members of the H. A. N. A. and their families enjoyed a pheasant and wild duck dinner at the Bellerive Hotel on December 17, 1945, on their 141st regular consecutive meeting.

The meeting was entirely social, and no business was transacted. It was learned with deep

regret the death of two of our members, William G. Jerrems, Jr., who was first President of the A. N. A., and Arthur J. Fetch. Also, the serious illness of Messrs. Al Grant and William P. Stanley.

Our President told us of his hunting experiences, and we learned that even in the field, he is the executive type.

—HARRY BOSLEY, Secretary

LEHIGH VALLEY COIN CLUB—The 78th monthly meeting of the Club was held at the Palmerton Neighborhood House, Dec. 13th, 1945 with Pres. Forrest Smith in the Chair. Eighteen members and one guest were present.

Mr. Acker of the Sick and Flower Committee will take care of the flowers to all the members when they are sick.

There was a round table discussion of coin topics in general by the members present.

Abner Boyer won the Door Prize of the evening.

An application for membership was received from Carmie L. Crietz, Palmerton, Pa.

The next meeting is to be held at the Shrine Club in Allentown, Pa.

Arthur Smith read a short paper on the Great Seal of the United States.

—K. LOBB, Secretary

MILWAUKEE NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—The 135th meeting was held at the Red Arrow Club on December 21st, 1945, with 22 members and two guests present. President Highsmith presided.

The following officers were elected for 1946: President, Walter Boeyer; vice president, Gale Highsmith; secretary, Wm. Carr; treasurer, Wm. Peer; sgt. at arms, John Guidinger; librarian, R. Rosholm.

D. E. Aldridge was proposed for membership.

The Society went on record to extend an invitation to the A. N. A. to hold the 1948 National Convention in Milwaukee. 1948 is the centenial anniversary of Wisconsin Statehood.

The following displays were enjoyed by the members:

E. Kuebler: Siam porcelain pieces and 2 American Convention Medals from Zanesville, Ohio, in porcelain. Large cents and colonial coppers.

W. Boeyer: Ancient bronze from Sidon, B. C. 78, and 2 brakteats from Augsburg, A. D. 1258.

Smith & Son: Three gold type sets of 5, 6 and 7 pieces. Three gold Brazilian coins dated 1775, 1784 and 1891.

N. Hoffman: 1828 unc. large cent. Two silver Columbian Exposition medals and one Washington medal.

N. Hoffman donated $7.00 to the Club.

—WALTER J. BOEYER, Secretary

NEW HAVEN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—Annual meeting held December 26th with 20 members and three guests present. This was the largest attendance of members ever at a meeting.

Report of the Secretary for the year showed a net gain of 16 members and an increase in attendance at all meetings during the year. Annual reports of the treasurer and president were accepted and placed on file.

Officers elected for the ensuing year were: E. P. Stohan, president; W. C. Sanders, 1st V. P.; M. H. Dewell, 2nd V. P.; G. B. Gorham, Treas.; W. P. Johnson, Sec'y.

Exhibits:

Frank J. Katen: Vol. 1, Coin Collectors Journal, 1876, Vol. 1 Coin Collectors Journal 1934, Vols. 1 and 2 Numismatic Scrapbook, Vol. 1, Numismatic Review, Chinese Coins by Poole.

W. C. Sanders: Several books on Chinese coins and many varieties of Chinese coins.

—WALTER P. JOHNSON, Secretary

NEW JERSEY NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—The 145th meeting was held at the Newark Athletic Club, Newark, N. J., on December 13. Eighteen members and three guests were present. President Purrington presided.

Mr. Wade read items of numismatic interest.

The topics for the meeting were: "Money and Medals showing Christ," "Early U. S. Mint Issues—1792 to 1800, Copper and Silver," "Gold Commemorative Coins—All Countries," "Fractional Currency," and "Recent Acquisitions."

The exhibits follow:

Mr. Blaisdell: 1927-S $20 gold; 1852 $2½ gold; 1822 cent; 1878-CC silver dollar; 1828 ½ cent, proof; two Columbian medals, struck in Germany.

Mr. Blake: A number of gold pieces of $5 size from various foreign countries.

Mrs. Brookes: Rosa Americana penny, 1722; Ten Yen military currency.

Mr. Brookes: Eleven half dollars; Japanese ¼ bu; French 5 franc of Nap. 3rd.

Mrs. Douglas: New York Stock Exchange medal with Statue of Washington.

Mr. Douglas: Portraits of Alexander on the tetradrachms of his generals Ptolemy and Lysimachus.

Mrs. Francis: 1832 50c U. S., unc.; 1921 Morgan dollar, unc.

Mr. Francis: 1825 and 1829 unc. 50c U. S.; Mexico 1 centavo, unc.

Mr. Gensheimer: 1792 half disme in superb condition; 1793 half cent; 1794 half cent, 1797 half cent; 1793 large cent, chain Ameri; 1795 half dime; 1796 half dime; 1796 dime; 1796 quarter; 1794 half dollar; 1797 half dollar.

Mr. Haroldson: Sing Sing Prison token.

Mr. Knoke: Set of Allied Military currency for Japan from 10 sen to 10 yen.

Mr. Litvany: Several fractional currency items, unc.; Maundy set, 1891, Queen Victoria, unc.

Mr. Mathews: Commemorative U. S. gold: ¼ and ½ California gold; ½ and 1 English sovereign pieces; St. Gaudens $20 gold, 1908, no motto and 1924 with motto.

Mr. Perkins: Doubloons: Peru, 1st type, 1751, Fred. VI; Columbia, 2nd type, 1793, Charles IIII.

Mr. Purrington: 1793-4-5-6-7-8 cents; 1792 half disme; 1799 dollar; ten gulden Japanese issue for Hollandia.

Mr. Reagan: Collection of modern currency of China, Netherlands and Luxemburg.

Mr. Roganson: Fractional currency "Specimen" Justice 50c; Spinner 50c, autographed signatures.

Mr. Van Vorst: Early U. S. coins.

Mr. Wade: Small collection of fractional currency; 1896 dime; Japanese counterfeit 100 Yuan note for use in China.

—EMILY BROOKES, Secretary

THE NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CLUB—December 14, 1945 regular meeting, T. F. Morris, president, presiding. Twenty members and two guests were present.

Topics for the evening: U. S. flying eagle cents; coins of the Chinese republic; Canadian coins and tokens; Lincoln medals and Macedonian coins. The following exhibits were made:

E. T. English: Lincoln medal. Lincoln token. Canadian tokens from Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.

R. S. Holzman: F. D. Roosevelt memorial medal. 4 fireman medals.

Hans M. F. Schulman: Rare Canadian coins, among which Sideview penny and half pennies; Franco American jetons; Bridge tokens; Four rare mint bars, 3 U. S. A. of New York and Arizona in alloy of gold and silver and one Dutch in gold.

H. K. Downing: U. S. large cent 1813 altered to 1815.

Mrs. J. R. Francis: 50c 1832 U. S. 2c 1873 U. S.

J. R. Francis: 50c 1831 U. S. 50c 1833 U. S.

M. F. Kortjohn: 33 different types of Canadian coins, 14 types of recent Chinese coins and four Chinese bills from 1 yuan to 1000 yuan.

D. M. Bullowa: Chinese 5 tael sycee; Silver; album of paper currency of all nations, collected overseas.

W. H. Arthur: 1856 Flying Eagle A. W. 210; 1858 Flying Eagle brilliant uncirculated; Uncirculated Lincoln cent, 1945 with the O in ONE entirely obliterated due to a defective planchet.

J. H. Spray: 1796 cent Gilbert F. 1858 Flying Eagle cent in perfect proof, probably the first known.

O. T. Sghia: Eight silver dollars of China, 1912 to 1932; including pieces showing automobile, junk, and hammer and sickle.

Mrs. D. Douglas: Large medal of Lincoln inscribed "Hard Times Token, 1933"; souvenir of Gettysburg medal; campaign ticket of Lincoln and Johnson.

S. Mosher: Two U. S. cents of 1798, one altered to 1799; lepton of Judaea, issued by Felix under Claudius, A. D. 54-55.

A. W. Deas: Iwo Jima bronze medal; Roosevelt memorial medal; Lincoln-Gettysburg address; small Lincoln medalettes.

T. F. Morris: $20 gold 1907 Liberty; $20 St. Gaudens 2 wire edge pieces, and one low relief with arabic numerals.

G. H. Blake: 3 U. S. bills bearing portrait of Lincoln.

L. Kusterer: Uncirculated Lincoln medal issued by the Illinois Watch Co.

F. C. C. Boyd: The dollars struck by the Chinese Republic for the first ten years, all struck in gold.

Nominating Committee: The following officers and committees for the year 1946 were unanimously elected: President, Joseph H. Spray; vice president, Damon G. Douglas; secretary, F. C. C. Boyd; executive committee, S. Mosher, W. H. Arthur, R. I. Nesmith, E. T. English; membership committee, W. R. Carpenter, H. K. Downing, G. S. Ragee, C. M. Wormser, M. F. Kortjohn; publication committee, F. Zerbe, A. W. Deas, L. M. Reagan, J. N. Crosby; medallic committee, F. C. C. Boyd, T. F. Morris, O. T. Sghia.

—F. C. C. BOYD, Secretary

OREGON NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—The monthly meeting was called to order by Vice President Leonard Trythall, December 10, with 24 members and three visitors present.

The Nominating Committee nominated the following officers for 1946: President, John Slusher; vice president, Jimmie Padden; secretary, Lloyd L. Ruff; treasurer, Frank C. Powell. They were duly elected.

Howard Hughes reported that the Club would be unable to have the tenth Anniversary Medals as planned for next year on account of scarcity of metals for same.

Deo Edwards was accepted to membership.

George Pipes held the Coin Quiz.

Exhibits:

Henry Perry: Two sets unc. one and two pfennig coins; 1836 Gobrecht dollar. Sets Covered Wagon Days, unc. silver. Trays U. S. silver coins unc.

Mr. Ross: Tray three to forty shilling Continental currency.

Howard Hughes: Dollar size foreign coins in new plastic holders; Set early Colonial coins.

Lloyd Ruff: Told an interesting story of sending a two dollar bill to a friend stationed in Europe the early part of the war. His friend passed the bill along with the proviso that any one handling the bill paste a bill of the locality it was in before passing it along. Recently Lt. James P. McNamara, Paratrooper returned a roll to Mr. Ruff. It was the original two dollar bill. And attached to it were plenty of bills. It made a strip about fifty feet long when unrolled. It is an interesting display.

—A. O. HEDMARK, Secretary.

PHILADELPHIA COIN CLUB—Our 126th regular monthly meeting was held in the Benjamin Franklin Hotel, Philadelphia on Tuesday evening December 11th at 8 P. M. with 34 members and guests present and with President Snyder in the chair.

A vote of thanks was extended to Roscoe F. Ballard for his splendid efforts in editing the News Letter which for the past several years has been sent to the members in the Service as well as those who are ill.

The exhibits of the evening were as follows:

George Magee, Jr., (just returned from Italy): A collection of money and coins secured in Morocco, Italy, Algeria, and Tunisia while in overseas military service from January 1943 to October 1945.

Herbert A. Pettilt: A set of proof and uncirculated cents from 1856 to 1864.

F. J Schaefer: 5c, 10c, 12½c and 25c notes dated July 4, 1815 Schuylkill Bank of Philadelphia; a 10c note from the bank of Caroline dated March 1, 1815; 45 different fare tickets from the horse car days in Philadelphia.

Wm. A. Schick, Jr.: 12 crisp dollar bills in numerical order and one with the number B77777777D.

Clarence E. Young: A 1910 nickel altered to 1913.

It was announced that a comprehensive coin display showing coins and money from the very earliest times to the present day will be open to the public for the next several months at the University of Pennsylvania Museum.

Donald T. Thompson, P. O. Box 74, Bala Cynwyd, Pa. was unanimously elected into club membership.

Joseph A. Byers entertained us with a well thought-out numismatic quiz consisting of 14 questions. Time was given to answer the questions and the papers were then exchanged with the person to the right for correction. Herbert A. Pettit came nearest to a perfect score by answering eleven of the questions correctly.

—ARTHUR SIPE, Secretary

THE NUMISMATIC AND ANTIQUARIAN SOCIETY OF PHILADELPHIA—A stated meeting of the Society was held November 30, at the invitation of Mr. Edward Woolman at the University Club. There were 15 members and four guests present.

Mr. Norris, the Curator of Numismatics reported that Mr. Norton is seriously ill. He exhibited special U. S. bills used in Italy and Hawaii. He also exhibited certain recent coins from the Denver Mint and some American bills used in the Philippine Islands.

The Assistant Curator, Mr. Tatnall, recently exhibited elsewhere an United States silver collection and some Russian coins. He received the sixth prize for Coin Week activities presented by the American Numismatic Association. He exhibited two Chinese coins from the Chan dynasty (480-550 B. C.) These coins are known as knife-money.

Mr. Garrison presented the Society with a set of "Maundy Money" given by the King of England to the poor at ancient ceremonies. Mr. Tatnall questioned the accuracy of this description. He thought that the coins presented by Mr. Garrison are medals rather than actually coins. A vote of thanks was presented to Mr. Garrison for his gifts.

Mr. Riley reported that since the last meeting we have lost through death four of our members: Ernest Spofford, John M. Scott, Carroll Smyth and Dr. Joseph McFarland.

Mr. Minds exhibited two samples of Okinawa money, which he presented to the Society. A vote of thanks was unanimously given for this gift.

Harold P. Dicke of Chestnut Hill, having been duly nominated on May 1, 1945, was unanimously elected a member of the Society.

Upon the suggestion of our Curator of Numismatics, it was moved, seconded and unanimously carried that this organization should join the Society of Medalists.

It was moved, seconded and unanimously carried that $50.00 should be paid by our Treasurer to the Curator of Numismatics, Mr. Norris, for his use.

Dr. Shuman asked if our collection is locked up and, if so, what is the good of it. It was agreed that there is an urgent need of a place where such collections can be permanently exhibited with some degree of safety.

The Society then took a recess to hear the address of Mr. C. E. Faris on "The Navajo Indians," after which a vote of thanks was given to our speaker. After a delightful period of refreshments in an adjoining room, the members returned to their homes.

—M. WISTAR WOOD, Secretary

RICHMOND COIN CLUB—The 55th regular meeting of the Richmond Coin Club was held at 8 P. M. on December 12, at the Byrd Park Club House with President O. L. Lewis in the chair. There were four members and six visitors present. The usual routine business was transacted and the following were elected as officers for the year 1946: President, Mrs. Helen G. Lewis; vice president, C. H. R. Howe; secretary, O. L. Lewis; treasurer Sam Levi.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis expressed their appreciation to the Club for the faith and confidence that the Club has shown them in having kept them in office continually since they have been members of the Club.

Mr. Howe displayed a complete type set of U. S. coins.

Mr. Lewis displayed Colonials, and complete sets of large and small cents and half cents and type sets of all U. S. coins. He also displayed a complete set of English shillings from Henry VIII to George VI.

—MRS. HELEN G. LEWIS, Secretary

SEATTLE COIN CLUB—The 113th meeting held at the YMCA on Dec. 27th, with vice president Worth presiding. There were sixteen members and seven guests present.

John Haberlin read an article calling attention to the fact that although gold isn't in circulation, it still plays a vital role in our economy.

New officers for 1946 were elected as follows: President, John F. Haberlin; vice president, H. H. Zeckser; secretary, B. A. Talmadge; treasurer, H. Glickert.

The topic of the evening was English coins and several nice displays were made. Bert Wagner featured rulers and also had five varieties of half sovereigns. Mr. Talmadge displayed several English gold coins, topped by a William and Mary five guinea piece. Paul Fouts' display featured human interest coins.

Chris Peterson showed two varieties of 1793 half cents and a new 1793 cent (C12K) he recently acquired. He also showed a rare variety of an 1813 cent which he found in a lot of coins he purchased from Paul Fouts. Fouts came in for some ribbing over that deal, and I guess it proves that even the experts are fooled once in a while.

—G. W. WOODS, Secretary

SPRINGFIELD COIN CLUB—335th meeting, December 11, held at the Museum of Fine Arts, President Wheeler presiding with six members and two guests present.

Plans for a dinner for the Annual Meeting in January were discussed and decided on. Applications for three new members were received and will be voted on at the January meeting.

An impromptu exhibit of English gold coins, a few large cents and a number of Colonials closed the meeting at nine fifteen.

—G. L. SANDBURG, Secretary

SPRINGFIELD COIN CLUB—336th meeting, January 6, held at the Highland Hotel, preceded by a steak dinner. President Wheeler presided with seventeen members present.

William Frehoffer, Frederic E. Rice, Jr., and Randall J. Longueil were elected to membership.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President A. F. Wurtz; Vice president Edward P. Cignoni; and Gustave L. Sandburg, Secretary-Treasurer. Door prizes were distributed followed by a short auction. Forty-five minutes of sound movies of sports and news closed the meeting at ten p. m.

—G. L. SANDBURG, Secretary

WASHINGTON NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—Regular meeting held Jan. 7th, at the Nat. Museum, 10th and Constitution Avenue. The following new officers were installed: President, Col. M. S. Newton; vice president, E. G. Jones; secretary-treasurer, H. A. Rothwell.

The speaker of the evening was C. E. McCormick who chose for his topic Canadian Coins, Tokens and Paper Money. He accompanied his talk with a splendid exhibit which included many rare pieces.

Several other members spoke on Canadian, Yukon, Klondike, Fairbanks, and Alaska coins and tokens.

—HARRY A. ROTHWELL, Secy.-Treas.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY COIN CLUB—The 138th regular meeting was held at the New Rochelle Y. M. C. A. on December 18, 1945. President Weidhaas called the meeting to order at 8:45 P. M. and thereafter presided over the twelve members and one guest that were present that evening. Minutes of the November meeting were read and approved as submitted. President Weidhaas recognized the presence of our guest Mr. Olmstead and in welcoming him expressed the hope that he would enjoy his visit with us, and would again avail himself of our companionship and consider application for membership. Mr. Weidhaas relinquished the chair to J. E. Massey who presided over the election proceedings. The following officers were elected to hold office during 1946: Ernest Weidhaas, President; Wm. S. Dewey, Vice President; Wm. Pearson, Secretary; Pitt M. Skipton, Treasurer; K. L. E. Marsden, Librarian. Arthur Brooke, Adolph Friedman, Abe Kosoff and Hugh Lott will serve on the Board of Governors. Mr. Marsden presented his report as librarian and it is indeed gratifying to know that the club has such a fine reference library available to all for numismatic information. President Weidhaas read his "swan song" paying splendid tribute to the faithful for their greatly appreciated support. In turn those present gave a rising vote of thanks to him for his able leadership through a year that has had its fair share of problems and tribulations.

The topic for the meeting was "Religious Medals and Tokens" and the following exhibits were presenteed by members:

Mr. Dewey: Complete set of 16 notes of the Kirtland Safety Society Bank, $1 to $100; 1738 1 scudo-Malta; 1741-1 scudo-Malta; 1689-1 testone-Papal States; 1851-5 baiocci-Papal States; shekel of Judaea-copy in type metal; 2 10c notes of the Bishop's General Storehouse of Salt Lake City, Utah.

Mr. Friedman: 1927-proof set in duplicate of Palestine, silver, nickel, and copper coins; 1929-Papal proof set; 1939-Papal proof set; 1 shekel, 132-134 A. D. of Judaea; ¼ shekel, 132-134 A. D. of Judaea—both of second revolt; War year minor coins of Belgium and France of bimetal content.

Mr. Bellus: Christmas card having Santa Claus on 1936 cent; Four Guttag Bros. tokens; Set of Alaska Rural Rehabilitation Tokens.

Mr. Brooke: 1770-Silver jeton of Louis XV. State of Bretagne. One and two real of Mexico cob pieces, lat 1600's

Mr. Lighte: Silver Comm. coin—Bust of Luther-Eisleben—1661; Ten Luther medals in silver, bronze, brass and porcelain; 2 inch Medal —Christ on obverse, Holy Bible and Lords Prayer on reverse; Bronze Medal—Treaty of Ghent, Dec. 24, 1814; Silver medal—Pilgrim Jubilee Memorial—1620; Medal of St. George's Church, 1811-1911; St. Mark's Lutheran Church, 1847-1922; 100 Anni. American Methodism, 1766-1866; Bi-Centennial All Saint's Church

N. Y., 1824-1874; 3 inch Medal—Henry Ward Beecher, 1813-1887; Medal—Obv. Washington, Reverse—Tomb of Washington over which Angel blows trumpet; Button, Bi-centennial, Trinity Church, May 5, 1897; Medal—Souvenir of N. Y., reverse, See no Evil, Hear no Evil and Speak no Evil; 5½" Brass medalets—Obverse, Bust of Columbus, Washington, Wm. Penn, Hudson and Fulton and U. S. Mint Phila. 1882. Reverse, Lords Prayer on all of them; 1¼" Brass store card—Obverse, Santa Claus, Merry Christmas, Reverse, Kuzlers Restaurant, Phila.; 2" Bronze medal of Peter Stuyvesant, Director General. Obverse, Seal of N. Y. City 1903. Inscription, St. Nicholas Society, founded Feb. 28, 1835.

Mr. Marsden: Lord's Prayer in aluminum, smallest space ever struck; Centenary Medal of Methodist Protestant Church, 1866; Sesqui-Centennial Medal of organization of M. E. Church in America, 1784-1934; Sunday School Medal in proof, 1870; 10 Commandments on Lincoln Cent; Communion token, Church of the Holy Family, Chicago, Ill.; Token, Cathedral of Immaculate Virgin (Spanish) 1867.

Mr. Tarter: 1802 Half cent.

Mr. Massey: Collection of Condor Tokens.

Mr. Weidhaas: 4th Century A. D. Sassanian Silver Coin (Fire Worshippers) fire on altar; A. D. 641 to 1067 Byzantine Coins, Christ and the Cross; Hebrew Talmud Torah Medal; Baptist Sunday School Medal; Communion Medal; Masonic Token, Jerusalem; Catholic Token, Jerusalem; 30 Roman Catholic Medals, in gold, silver, copper, brass, bronze, aluminum; Christian Science, Large bronze medal.

Mr. Dewey presented a paper on the Kirtland, N. Y. group of the Latter Day Saints supporting his talk by a collection of the very rare notes issued by their "anti-banking" society.

Mr. Massey presented his paper on "Church Structures as depicted on Condor Tokens" displaying a number of these very beautifully executed medals.

After viewing the evenings exhibits members adjourned to the newly inaugurated trading table conducted by Mr. Dewey, which again offered a nice variety of numismatic material and coins.

As is our annual custom, the January meeting will be given over to our "Ladies Nite," the subject as usual being "What do you collect other than coins," and what the brothers don't collect just doesn't exist, as has been proved in the past. It can be said that one of the best features of this annual event proves to our wives that their respective husbands are not oddities with "bats in the belfry" when they evince interest in collecting various other items but are almost to be considered normal humans. No doubt many a wife has said to herself on viewing exhibits of past January meetings, "Lord be praised that Oswald only collects blacksmith anvils instead of those horrid bulky thing-a-ma-jigs that Mr. Throttlebottom collects."

—WM. PEARSON, Secretary

WESTERN MARYLAND COIN CLUB—The 87th meeting was held in the Central Y. M. C. A. at 8:00 P. M. Wednesday, December 19th, with a total attendance of 15. The meeting was called to order by President Charles.

President Charles then called on members to watch out and bring in more material for our scrapbook. He stated he would like to compile a scrapbook record of the club's activities ever since its inception. He also asked members to cooperate in securing all the printed records of our various meetings as printed in The Numismatist for recording in our scrapbook.

Door prize was won by our member Hugh Funkhouser. A valuable and appropriate Christmas package was raffled off and won by member Morris.

Note was taken of the passing of Mr. Vandegrift, father of two of our members, namely, Captain Frank B. Vandegrift and Howard Vandegrift. The secretary was instructed to convey our sympathy to these two members.

Member Wilson was appointed to contact a prospect that we have to talk to our club at our next meeting about China and Chinese money. President Charles also stated that our January meeting is to be dedicated to paper money. A paper is to be prepared and presented by member Alfred Hutter on this subject. A report was also made of a certain half cent collection, which was bought locally by Alfred Hutter, and which contained several half cents which were unexpectedly rare and very valuable.

After some discussion, motion was made and carried instructing the secretary to buy three additional books for the Club's library. A talk was made by Alfred Hutter how in the early years the State taxed banks heavily for the support of the school system.

Phillip G. Straus of Baltimore was present at this meeting, and displayed a beautiful collection of more than 300 "Proof Coins" including the set of 1877. He also displayed a very clever gold coin scale and explained its workings; also an excellent collection of uncirculated fractional currency. Mr. Straus gave a fine talk on the subject of "Proof Coins," and our members considered it one of the most interesting talks we have had the pleasure of enjoying. Mr. Straus' display of proof coins was by far the finest collection that our Club has had the pleasure of enjoying. Mr. Straus also displayed an 1844 five dollar platinum piece which is very rare; likewise a number of highly interesting freak coins and some very unusual and interesting dimes. Mr. Straus also talked to us on the activities of the Baltimore Coin Club, and we obtained some ideas which will surely be a help to us in making our Club continue to develop.

—MARTIN L. JOHNSON, Secretary

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C155. BAMBERG. Francis Louis. Taler 1795, issued to pay French Occupation. Arms./Cartouche. VF 6.00
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C158. Charles Theodore. Madonna Taler 1778. VF 3.50
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C170. Frederick the Great. Taler 1750 A (Berlin). Young bust r./-Eagle on trophies. Almost VF 4.00
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C172. Taler 1764 A. Adult portrait. VG 2.00
C173. Taler 1765 A, B. Similar. VF, each 3.00
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C197.	Taler 1611. Castle./Eagle. Minute trace of loop, VF	7.50
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C199.	HESSE. Louis III. 5 Marks 1875 struck at Darmstadt. Head r./Eagle. F.	3.25
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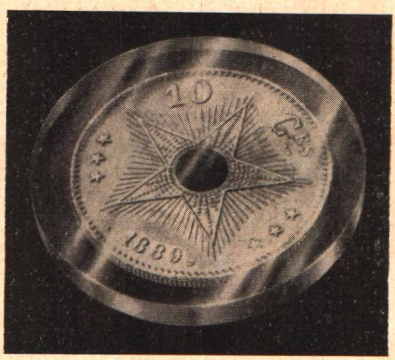

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1888 B. U. GEM 8.50
1889 B. U. 8.00

Note: Read Thomas Elder's forecast on future prices for gold dollars in January HOBBIES, page 104.

Six holed gold dollars V. F. to Extrem. fine, four initialed on reverse (not holed), will make a beautiful bangle bracelet. The ten pieces, 32.50

COMMEMORATIVE GOLD

1903 $1.00 Lou. P. Expo. B. U. (McKinley) (2) ea. 13.50
1903 $1.00 Lou. P. Expo. B. U. (Jefferson) 12.50
1915 $1.00 Pan. Pac. B. U. 10.00
1926 QUARTER EAGLE Sesquicent. B. U. (4) ea. 10.00

QUARTER EAGLES

1834 V. F. (no motto) 10.00
1835 Brill. (was a proof) (slight sign of wear on obverse, no sign of wear on reverse) (Stars, lettering, and rim perfect, microscopic hairlines) 30.00
1836 V. F. 9.75
1845 Extrem. fine (scarce) 13.50
1847 V. F. 12.50
1851-O V. F. 10.00
1853 V. F. 8.50
1854 Extrem. fine 9.00
1866-S V. F. (scarce) 12.50
1871-S V. F. (scarce) 12.50
1887 B. U. proof surface 15.00
1893 B. U. GEM 12.50
1893 Brill. proof (microscopic hairlines) 15.00
1896 B. U. 10.00
1899 B. U. flawless GEM 12.50
1900 B. U. 10.00
1903 B. U. flawless GEM 11.00

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1904 B. U. flawless GEM 11.00
1905 B. U. (2) ea. 10.00
1905 B. U. flawless GEM (3) ea. 11.00
1907 B. U. GEM 10.00
1910 B. U. 8.00
1912 B. U. 8.00
1914-D B. U. (scarce date) 10.00
1914-D Extrem. fine (2) ea. 8.25
1914-D V. F. 7.75

THREE DOLLAR PIECES

1854 V. F. 15.00
1854 Extrem. fine (2) ea. 17.50
1854-O Extrem. fine (sm. scratch obverse) 15.00
1856 Extrem. fine 16.50
1857 About fine 11.00
1859 Extrem. fine (2) (scarce) 18.50
1863 Extrem. fine (pract. unc.) 20.00
1864 Extrem. fine (pract. unc.) (rare) 27.50
1874 Extrem. fine 15.00
1878 F. to V. fine (loop removed) 10.00
1889 Extrem. fine 18.00

HALF EAGLES

1879-S Extremely fine 13.75
1886-S Extremely fine (practically unc.) 16.50
1887-S B. U. flawless GEM 17.50
1897-S B. U. 17.50
1903-S B. U. 17.50
1908 B. U. 17.50

COMMEMORATIVE HALF DOLLARS, ALL BRILLIANT UNC.

At 5% off LAST YEAR'S prices, to close out

1892-3 Columbians 1.90
1920 Pilgrim unc. but polished 1.90
1920 Maine Cent. 4.75
1921 Alabama Cent. (2x2) 14.25
1921 Pilgrim 5.70
1924 Huguenot Walloon 3.10
1925 Stone Mountain (3) X. F., V. F., F. the lot 2.25
1925 Norse (thick) (medal) 2.38
1925 Norse (thin) (medal) 4.75
1928 Hawaii 28.50
1934 Texas 1.90
1935-D Boone 4.38
1935-S San Diego 2.14
1935-P-S-D Texas 5.23
1936 Oregon 2.35
1936 Gettysburg 3.33
1936 Cleveland 1.43
1936 Elgin 1.90
1936 Wisconsin 2.14
1936 Long Island 1.43
1936 Bridgeport 2.38
1936 Lynchburg 3.33
1936-D San Diego 2.14
1936-S Rhode Island 2.35
1936-P-S-D Cincinnati 23.75
1936-S Oregon net 6.00
1936-P-S-D Texas 5.70
1937-D Oregon 1.90
1937 Roanoke 2.38
1937-P-S-D Boone 47.50
1937-P-S-D Texas 6.65
1938-P-S-D Texas 28.50
1938-P-S-D Boone 57.00
1938-P-S-D Oregon 12.83
1939-P-S-D Oregon 28.50

SHIELD AND LIBERTY NICKELS IN BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED AND PROOF

1875 B. U. $15.00
1878 Brill. proof GEM 27.50
1880 Brill. proof (8) ea. 9.75
1881 Brill. proof (2) ea. 6.75
1882 B. U. (2) ea. 1.75
1882 Brill. proof 3.00
1883 B. U. (3) ea. 1.50
1883 Brill. proof (2) ea. 3.00
1883 LIBERTY proof (no CENTS) 2.40
1884 Brill. proof (3) ea. 8.00
1891 B. U. 4.50
1892 B. U. 4.00
1892 Brill. proof GEM 5.50
1894 B. U. 4.50
1901 B. U. 2.00
1902 B. U. 2.25
1903 B. U. 2.25
1904 B. U. (2) ea. 2.00
1904 Brill. proof 3.25
1905 B. U. 2.00
1909 Brill. proof 3.00
1910 B. U. 2.25
1910 Brill. proof 3.25
B. U. Nickels (40) to a roll
1939 (20) each 9.75
B. U. PEACE DOLLARS
1923 (20) each 5.50

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Obv. Leopold

SALZBURG

Leopold Anton Eleutherius, Freiherr von Firmian, 1727 on elevation to the Archbishopric
OBV: LEOPOLDUS. D. G. ARCH & PR. SALISB. S. S. A. L. G. PRIMAS: truncated bust of the Archbishop to right with 1735 on the shoulder truncation while directly below is "BECKER f" in small raised letters, the die-cutter.
REV: DEXTERA. DOMINI. EXALTAVIT. ME: in the center the arms of the Archbishop, a shield of six quarterings and escutcheon of pretence, the crest is a legate's hat and protruding from behind the shield is a crosier at the shield's right, a sword at the left. Below in exergue is the inscription IV. OCTOBRIS / MDCCXXVII/ B (October 4, 1727, the date of becoming Archbishop).
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UNITED STATES COINS

Bright Unc. Cents

	100	50
1945-D-P-S	$ 1.50	$ .75
1944-D-P-S	1.50	.75
1943-D	1.75	.90
1942-D-P	1.75	.90
1941-D-P	2.25	1.25
1941-S	2.85	1.50
1940-D-P-S	2.75	1.40
1939-S-P	3.75	1.95
1938-S	5.25	2.75
1937-P	4.25	2.25

Bright Unc. Nickels
(40 per roll)

	5 Rolls	Roll
1945-D	$12.00	$2.50
1944-D	12.50	2.65
1943-D-S	13.50	2.85
1942-S		3.00
1941-D-P		4.00
1940-P		4.25
1938-D Buffalo		4.50

Brilliant Unc. Dimes
(50 per roll)

	Roll	Each
1945-D-P-S	$ 5.75	$ .20
1944-D-P-S	6.00	.20
1943-D	6.25	.20
1942-D	6.25	.20
1941-D-P	7.00	.25
1940-D-P-S	7.00	.25
1939-D	8.25	.30
1939-P, 38-P-D, 37-P, 36-P		.30
1939-S, 35-P		.50
1936-S, 36-D		.50
1935-S, 35-D		.65

Brilliant Unc. Quarters

	Roll	Each
1945-D-P-S	$11.50	$ .35
1944-D-P-S	12.00	.40
1943-D	12.50	.40
1942-P	13.50	.45
1941-P	15.00	.50
1941-D-S		.50
1940-D-S		.75
1938-P, 37-D-P		.85
1938-S, 36-S-P		1.25
1935-P		1.45
1928-S		3.25
1928-D		1.75
1926-D		1.25

Brilliant Unc. Halves

	Roll	Each
1945-D-P-S	$11.50	$ .65
1944-D-P-S	12.00	.75
1943-D-P	12.50	.80
1942-D-P-S	13.50	.80
1941-S-P	14.50	.90
1939-D	16.00	1.25
1938-P	19.50	1.50
1938-D		7.50
1937-D, 36-D-P		1.75
1935-P, 34-P		2.00

Large U. S. Cents

1795	Plain edge, ONE CENT center edge clipped, very good.	$ 3.50
1796	Draped bust, good	5.25
1797	Stems to wreath, dark brown strictly fine	8.00
1798	Fair .75; good, 1.25; fine	4.00
1800	Good	1.75
1801	Good	2.25
1802	Stemless, very good	3.00
1803	Good .85; 1807 good	1.75
1807	over 6, very good	3.00
1809	Good	10.00
1813	Abt. good 1.50; good	2.25
1814	Very good 1.00; fine	2.25
1816	Very good	1.00
1817	Good .75; v. good	1.00
1818	Very good	.75
1819	Date fair .35; v. good	.75
1820	Very good .75; fine	1.25
1821	Fine, compact date	7.75
1822	Very good	1.35
1823	Very good, dark	7.00
1824	Very good, compact date	2.25
1824	Very good, wide date	2.25
1824	Fine, wide date	3.25
1826	Very good .85; v. fine	2.00
1827	Very good .85; v. fine	2.50
1828	Fine, large date	1.50
1829	Very good	1.00
1830	Very fine	3.50
1831	Very good	.65
1832	Very good .75; fine	1.25
1833	Good .45; 1834 fair	.25
1835	Very good	1.25
1836	Fine	1.00
1837, 1838	Very good, each	.45
1839	Very fine, booby head	2.25
1840	Very good, small date	.85
1841	About fine	.90
1842	Fine, small date	1.50
1842	Very good, large date	.60
1843	Fine, type of 42	1.00
1843	Very fine, type of 42	1.50
1843	Very good, type of 44	1.75
1844	Good	.35
1846	Very good, tall date	.85
1846	Fine, small date	.85
1846	Very fine, small date	1.25
1847	Very good	.35
1850	Good .35; fine	.60
1851	Very good	.35
1854	Fine	.40
1856	Very fine, slanting 5	.85

1866	Shield Nickel, fine	2.25
1866	Shield Nickel, br. unc.	11.25
1867	Sh. Nickel, rays, v. good	4.00
1867	Nickel, no rays, fine	1.50
1867	Nickel, no rays, v. fine	2.50
1868	Nickel, fine	1.25
1869	Nickel, fine	1.50
1872	Nickel, fine	1.50
1875	Nickel, very fine	7.25
1876	Nickel, fine	2.50
1882	Nickel, very fine	1.00

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1804	V. G.	$14.00
1805	V. F.	15.00
1807	Good	5.00

BUST TYPE
Left Face

1818	Good	3.00
1821	Good	2.00
1825-4	V. G.	2.50
1828	Good	2.75
1831	V. Fine	5.25
1831	Fine	4.00
1834	V. Fine	2.75
1835	Fine	1.75

LIBERTY
SEATED

1838	Good	1.00
1840	Fine O	1.00
1841	Fair	1.75
1841	O. Fine	1.50
1850	V. F., O	4.50
1853	O, Unc.	10.00
1853	O, Fine	5.00
1853	Unc.	2.00
1853	V. Fine	1.60
1853	Fine	1.00
1853	Good	.50
1854	V. Fine	1.50
1854	Good	.50
1854	V. F., O	2.00
1855	V. Fine	2.00
1855	Good	.75
1856	V. Fine	1.50
1856	Good	.50
1857	V. Fine	1.00
1857	Good	.50
1858	V. Fine	1.35
1858	Fine	.80
1859	V. Fine	1.25
1859	Good	.50
1860	Good	.50
1861	V. Fine	1.00
1861	Good	.50
1862	Unc.	2.00
1862	Fine	.85
1873	Good	.60
1874	Fine, S	3.75
1875	V. Fine	1.25
1876	V. F., CC	2.50
1876	V. F., S	1.50
1876	V. Fine	1.10
1876	Fine	.70
1877	Unc.	2.00
1877	V. Fine	1.65
1877	Fine	1.10
1877	Good	.65
1877	V. F., CC	2.50
1877	V. G., S	.90
1878	CC, Fine	1.25
1878	P, V. F.	1.25
1888	S, Fine	1.00
1889	Unc.	2.25

LIBERTY HEAD

1892	Good	.75
1892	V. Fine	2.50
1893	Good	.50
1893	Good, S	1.80
1893	Good, O	.85
1893	Fine, O	1.75
1897	Good	.60
1897	Good, O	1.25
1897	Good, S	1.50
1898	V. Fine	2.75
1898	Fine, O	2.00
1898	Fine	3.75
1898	Good	2.00
1898	Good, S	1.25
1898	Fine, O	2.25
1898	Good, O	.80
1899	Good	.50
1899	V. Fine	2.00
1899	Fine, O	1.50
1899	Good, O	.75
1899	Good, S	1.50
1900	P, Unc.	3.75
1900	V. Fine	2.25
1900	Good	.75
1900	Good, O	.75
1900	Good, S	1.25
1900	Fine, S	2.50
1901	Unc.	3.00
1901	Good	.60
1901	Good, O	2.50
1902	V. F., O	5.50
1902	Good, O	1.00
1902	V. F., S	9.50
1903	Fine	.75
1903	Good	.50
1903	Fine, O	2.00
1903	Fine, S	2.50
1904	V. Fine	2.25
1904	Fine, O	2.00
1904	Good, O	1.00
1905	V. Fine	2.25
1905	Fine	1.00
1905	Good	.75
1905	Fine, S	2.00
1905	Fine, O	2.00
1905	Good, O	1.00
1906	V. Fine	2.25
1906	Fine, O	1.00
1906	Good, O	.50
1906	Good, D	.50
1907	Good	.50
1907	Good, O	.50
1907	Good, D	.50
1907	Good, S	1.00
1908	Unc., O	2.50
1908	Fine	1.00
1908	Good, O	.50
1908	Good, S	1.00
1908	Fine, D	1.00
1908	Good, D	.50
1909	V. Fine	2.25
1909	Fine	1.00
1909	Good	.50
1909	V. F., D	2.00
1909	Fine, D	1.00
1909	V. G., S	.75
1909	Fine, O	2.00
1910	V. Fine	2.25
1910	Good	.50
1910	Good, D	.50
1911	Good	.50
1911	Fine, S	1.50
1911	Good, S	.75
1911	Good, D	.75
1912	V. Fine	2.25
1912	Fine	1.00
1912	S, Good	2.00
1912	Good	.50
1913	Good	.75
1913	V. F., D	5.00
1914	V. Fine	3.25
1914	Good	.60
1914	V. F., D	4.00
1914	Fine, D	2.00
1914	Good, D	1.00
1915	Unc.	5.25
1915	Fine	1.75
1915	Good, S	.75
1915	Unc., D	3.25
1915	Fine, D	1.25
1916	V. F., D	2.00
1916	Fine, D	1.00

St'g. Lib., Type I

1917	Unc.	2.50
1917	V. Fine	2.00
1917	Fine	1.00
1917	Unc., S	10.00
1917	V. F., S	3.00
1917	Fine, S	5.00
1917	Unc., D	10.00
1917	Fine, D	4.00

St'g. Lib., Type II

1917	V. Fine	4.00
1917	Unc., D	18.00
1917	V. F., S	5.50
1918	Fine	1.25
1918	Unc., S	14.00
1918	Unc., D	14.75
1918	V. Fine	4.00
1919	V. Fine	4.25
1919	Good	1.00
1919	V. F., S	27.50
1919	V. F., D	4.50
1919	Good, D	2.00
1920	Unc.	4.75
1920	V. Fine	2.00
1920	Fine	1.75
1920	V. F., S	3.00
1920	Fine, S	2.00
1920	V. F., D	5.00
1920	Fine, D	3.00
1921	Fine	6.00
1923	V. Fine	2.25
1923	Fine	1.00
1923	V. F., S	9.00
1924	V. Fine	2.25
1924	Fine	1.00
1924	Good	.50
1924	Fine, S	1.50
1924	Unc., D	2.75
1924	Good, D	.75
1924	Fine, D	.95
1924	Unc., D	2.75
1924	Good	.50
1925	Unc.	3.75
1925	V. Fine	2.50
1925	Fine	1.25
1925	Good	.75
1926	Unc.	2.50
1926	Fine	.75
1926	Unc., D	2.00
1926	Fine, S	2.50
1926	Good, S	.50
1927	Unc.	5.00
1927	Fine	.75
1927	Fine, S	2.50
1927	Fine, D	.80
1927	Good, S	1.00
1928	Fine	.50
1928	Unc., S	3.50
1928	Fine, S	.80
1928	Unc., D	2.75
1928	V. F., D	1.75
1928	Fine, D	.75
1929	Unc.	2.00
1929	V. Fine	1.25
1929	Fine	.75
1929	Good	.50
1929	Unc., S	2.25
1929	Fine, S	.75
1929	Unc., D	2.25
1929	V. F., D	1.25
1929	Fine, D	.75
1929	Good, D	.50
1930	Unc.	2.00
1930	V. Fine	1.25
1930	Fine	.75
1930	Unc., S	2.25
1930	Fine, S	1.00
1930	Good, S	.60

WASHINGTON
HEAD

1932	V. Fine	1.00
1932	Fine	.75
1932	V. F., S	4.00
1932	Fine, S	3.00
1932	V. F., D	5.00
1934	Unc.	2.25
1934	Fine	1.25
1934	V. F., D	1.25
1935	Fine	.50
1935	Unc.	1.50
1935	V. F.	1.00
1935	V. F., S	4.00
1935	Fine, S	1.50
1935	Fine, D	1.50
1936	V. F.	1.10
1936	Fine	.50
1936	V. F., S	1.10
1936	V. F., D	1.10
1936	Fine, D	.50
1937	V. F.	.90
1937	Fine	.50
1937	Unc., S	1.50
1937	Unc., D	1.25
1937	V. F., D	.80
1937	Fine, D	.50
1938	V. F.	.60
1938	Unc., S	1.00
1938	V. F., S	.60
1939	Unc.	1.00
1939	V. F.	.75
1939	Unc., S	1.25
1939	Unc., D	1.00
1939	V. F., D	.75
1940	Unc.	1.00
1940	Unc., S	1.10
1940	Unc., D	1.10
1941	Unc.	.75
1941	Unc., S	.75
1941	Unc., D	.75

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1892	COLUMBIAN	$ 1.25
1893	COLUMBIAN	1.00
1893	ISABELLA $1¼	9.50
1900	LAFAYETTE $1	12.50
1915	PAN-PACIFIC	17.50
1918	LINCOLN	3.00
1920	MAINE	5.50
1920	PILGRIM	2.00
1921	PILGRIM	6.50
1921	MISSOURI } Set	57.50
1921	MISSOURI 2*4 }	
1921	ALABAMA	7.00
1921	ALABAMA 2x2	15.00
1922	GRANT	2.75
1922	GRANT "STAR"	65.00
1923	MONROE	2.50
1924	HUGUENOT	3.25
1925	LEXINGTON	2.50
1925	STONE MOUNTAIN	1.25
1925	CALIFORNIA	5.00
1925	VANCOUVER	13.50
1925	NORSE, THIN (Medal)	6.00
1925	NORSE, THICK (Medal)	2.50
1926	SESQUI	2.25
1926	OREGON	2.50
1926	OREGON, S	2.50
1927	BENNINGTON	4.50
1928	HAWAII	30.00
1928	OREGON	4.50
1933	OREGON, D	7.50
1934	OREGON, D	4.00
1934	MARYLAND	2.25
1934	TEXAS	2.25
1934	BOONE	2.25
1935	BOONE	2.25
1935	BOONE, D & S	10.00
1935	BOONE, SMALL 1934	2.25
1935	BOONE, D. SM. 1934 } Set	65.00
1935	BOONE, S. SM. 1934 }	
1935	CONNECTICUT	6.00
1935	ARKANSAS	2.50
1935	ARKANSAS, D & S	10.00
1935	HUDSON	15.00
1935	SAN DIEGO	$ 2.50
1935	OLD SPANISH TRAIL	12.00
1935	TEXAS	2.25
1935	TEXAS, D & S	4.25
1936	RHODE ISLAND	2.50
1936	RHODE ISLAND, D & S	6.00
1936	ARKANSAS	2.25
1936	ARKANSAS, D & S	4.25
1936	ARKANSAS, ROBINSON	2.25
1936	TEXAS	2.25
1936	TEXAS, D & S	4.25
1936	BOONE	2.25
1936	BOONE, D & S	10.00
1936	CINCINNATI, P,D,& S Set	22.50
1936	CLEVELAND	1.75
1936	OREGON TRAIL	2.50
1936	OREGON TRAIL, S	8.00
1936	LYNCHBURG	3.75
1936	LONG ISLAND	2.00
1936	COLUMBIA, S. C., P, D & S	8.50
1936	WISCONSIN	2.50
1936	YORK COUNTY	2.25
1936	ELGIN	2.25
1936	BRIDGEPORT	2.50
1936	ALBANY	2.75
1936	SAN FRANCISCO BRIDGE	3.50
1936	NORFOLK	4.00
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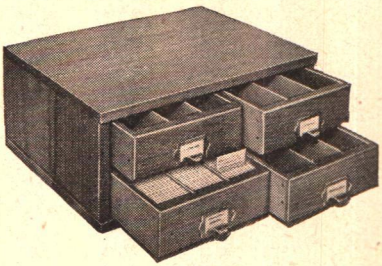

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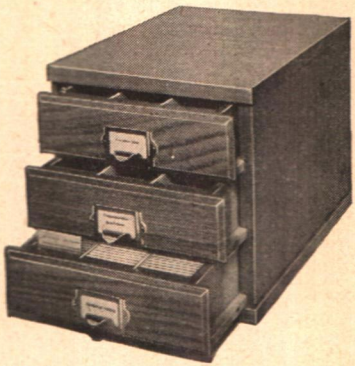

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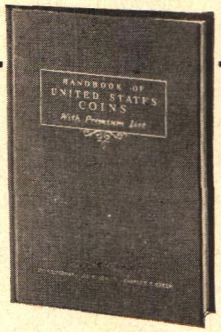

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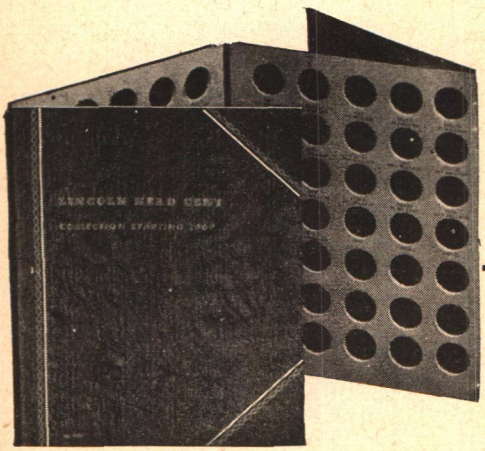

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1876 Fine .75; V. F.	1.10
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1876-S V. F.	1.25
1877 Fine	.75
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1893 V. G. .50; fine	.90
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1893-S V. G.	1.40
1894 V. G.	.50
1894-O V. G.	1.40
1894-S V. G. .75; fine	2.10
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1898-S V. G.	.95
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1899-O V. G.	.90
1899-S V. G.	1.10
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1900-O Good	.45
1900-S V. G.	.90
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1903-O V. G.	.50
1903-S V. G.	.95
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1904-O V. G. .90; V. F.	2.35
1905 V. G.	.60
1905-O Good	.60
1905-S Fine	1.40
1906 V. G. .50; X. F.	2.10
1906-O V. G.	.50
1906-D V. G.	.50
1907 V. G. .50; Abt. fine	.70
1907-O V. G. .50; A. U.	2.00
1907-S V. G.	1.10
1907-D Good	.50
1908 V. G.	.50
1908-O V. G. 1.25; Abt. V. F.	1.75
1908-S Abt. Fine	1.75
1908-D V. G. .50; fine	.85
1909 V. G.	.50
1909-O V. G.	1.10
1909-S V. G.	.65
1909-D V. G. .50; fine	1.00
1910 V. G. .50; fine	.85
1910-D V. G. .60; fine	1.20
1911 V. G. .50; fine	.85
1911-S V. G.	.90
1911-D V. G.	1.10
1912 V. G. .50; fine .85; V. F.	1.50
1912-S V. G.	2.50
1913 Fine	1.10
1913-D V. G.	.55
1914 V. G. .40; fine	.90
1914-S V. G.	1.05
1914-D V. G. .55; fine 1.15; Unc.	4.75
1915 V. G. .50; fine .90; A. U.	3.00
1915-S V. G. .80; V. F.	1.95
1915-D V. G. .65; fine	1.20
1916 (Barber) V. G. .50; fine	1.10
1916-D V. G. .50; fine .85; Unc.	2.50
1917 Type I X. F. 1.15; A. U. 1.70; Unc.	2.40
1917-S Type I Fine 1.15; X. F. 6.50; Unc.	7.50
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1918-D V. F.	1.80
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1923 V. F.	1.25
1923-S V. F.	8.50
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1926 Fine	.55
1926-S V. G. .90; fine	1.90
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1937 B. U.	1.25
1937-S Fine .75; B. U.	1.75
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Austria 10 Kronen 1922 vg .35
Austria 100 Kronen 1922 vg .75
Austria 10,000 Kronen 1918 vg .35
Austria 20 Korona 1913 vg .75
Belgium 1 Belga 1943 g .15; vg .25
Belgium 2 Belga 1943 g .35; vg .50
Belgium 20 Belga 1943 vg 1.50
Belgium 5 Francs 1938 g .35; vg .50
Brazil 1 Milreis 1923 fr .35
Brazil 5 Milreis fr. 1.00
Bermuda 5 Shillings 1937 vf 1.50
Curacao 1 Gulden 1942 vg 1.00
Chile 50 Pesos 1940 vg 2.50
Chile 10 Pesos 1933 vg 1.50
Ceylon 1 Rupee 1942 vg .50
Costa Rica 2 Colones 1925 vg .95
Costa Rica 5 Colones 1925 vg 2.00
China 10 Yuan 1940 vg .50
China 10 Yuan 1936 vg .75
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France 10 Francs 1939 vg .35
France 50 Francs Invasion 1944 vg .50
France 2 Francs Invasion 1944 vf .25; g .15
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France 10 Francs 1943 vf .35
France 5 Francs 1940 unc .50
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France 100 Francs 1940 vf 1.25
France 1 Franc Railroad g .35
French Africa 1 Franc f .35
Greece 100 Lepton 1927 g .75
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100 Mark g .25
20 Mark g .25
100 Mark g .15 f .25
Nov. 12, 1913
20 Mark g .10
Aug. 5, 1914
5 Mark g .10
20 Mark g .15
50 Mark g .20
Aug. 12, 1914
2 Mark g .15
Feb. 19, 1914
20 Mark g .15
Nov. 4, 1915
20 Mark g .25
Aug. 1, 1917
5 Mark vg .25
Feb. 20, 1918
20 Mark vg .25
Inflation
Jan. 31, 1919
20 Mark vg .15
June 24, 1919
50 Mark g .25
March 1, 1920
1 Mark vg .10
2 Mark vg .10 unc .15
July 23, 1920
50 Mark g .25
Nov. 1, 1920
100 Mark g .25
Feb. 6, 1920
10 Mark g .15
Jan. 19, 1922
10 Mark vg .15
Sept. 15, 1922
1 Mark vg .10
100 Mark g .15 vg .25
Sept. 7, 1922
100 Mark g .10
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100 Mark g .25
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500 Mark g .25
July 7, 1922
500 Mark g .15
Nov. 19, 1922
50 Mark g .25
Dec. 2, 1922
5 Mark vg .25
Dec. 15, 1922
1 Million f .35
Feb. 1, 1923
100M Mark f .25
Feb. 20, 1923
20M Mark vg .15
1 million vg .25
March 26, 1923
20 Mark g .25
May 1, 1923
500 Mark vg. 25
July 20, 1923
5 million g .25
July 23, 1923
2 million f .25
July 25, 1923
100M Mark g .10
500M Mark f .25
1 million vg .15
10 million vg .15
20 million vg .25
50 million vg .35
100 million vg .50
Aug. 9, 1923
200M Mark vg .10
1 million f .15
2 million vg .15
Aug. 11, 1923
500M Mark g .10
1 million f .15
2 million f .25
Aug. 12, 1923
1 million f .15
Aug. 20, 1923
100M Mark vg .20
1 million f .25
2 million f .25
5 million vg .25
August 22, 1923
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100 million g .50
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50 million f .25
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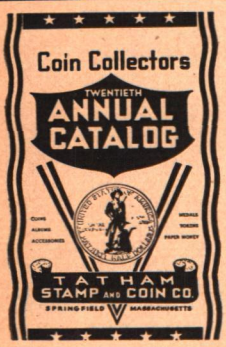

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